

BAILEY DELIVERS FAREWELL ADDRESS

Last Speech Before Senate as a Member of That Body

SPEAKS FOR FOUR HOURS

Attacks Principles of Initiative and Referendum and William R. Hearst

ROCKEFELLER MAY BE ABROAD

THURSDAY IN CONGRESS.

Senate.
Convened at noon.
Senator Bacon introduced resolution for recognition of Republic of China.
Senator Bailey spoke on his resolution on the initiative and referendum.
Adopted Senator Gore's resolution to request president for any information American officers have obtained about newly discovered German tuberculosis cure.
Adjourned at 5:17 p. m. until noon Friday.
House.
Convened at noon and adjourned at 12:11 p. m. out of respect for the memory of the late Representative John C. McHenry of Pennsylvania.
Chairman Alexander of merchant marine committee announced hearings on Brazilian shipping combine would begin January 7 and gave names of witnesses subpoenaed.
Representative Linthicum introduced bill for special committee to investigate causes of railroad accidents and recommended preventive measures.
Secretary of navy asked for \$100,000 appropriation for Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, naval hospital.
War department recommended 1,000 foot channel of approach to Baltimore Harbor at cost of \$305,250.

Joseph W. Bailey of Texas, long one of the picturesque figures and striking speakers of the United States senate, delivered today, before crowded floor and galleries, his final speech as a member of that body. Within a day or two his resignation will be laid before the senate and communicated to Governor Colquhoun of Texas, his expectation being that R. W. Johnston of Houston will be made to fill out his term which would end March 4. Senator Bailey's speech was an attack upon the principles of the initiative and referendum as institutions that would, if adopted, bring about the overthrow of the present system of American government. He declared that they originated in the desire of politicians to escape the responsibility for action on such petty questions as the location of state capitals and the settlement of prohibition fights. As institutions of government, he declared that the schemes for direct legislation by the people would convert the United States from a republic to a democracy and would give its control into the hands "of the unskilled, the idle, and the vicious."

Attacks W. R. Hearst.
An attack upon William Randolph Hearst in the course of his speech in which he characterized Mr. Hearst as a "miserable dog" who had "hounded him," brought Senator Ashurst of Arizona to his feet. He attempted to answer this phase of Mr. Bailey's attack upon radical newspapers and magazines but was stopped by the Texas senator with the remark that he "could make that reply outside."

Later Mr. Ashurst took the floor in his own right and in the course of his defense of the system of direct government paid a tribute to Hearst as a loyal American citizen. Senator Bailey spoke for four hours, receiving throughout the closest attention. As he concluded a wave of applause swept through the galleries, bringing a sharp reprimand from Senator Gallinger, the presiding officer. President-elect Wilson, although quoted liberally by Senator Bailey in defense of his declaration that direct legislation is not in accord with the people of American government, received only commendation from the Texas senator.

Raps Voters' Interest.
Senator Bailey said that in states where constitutional amendments had been submitted to the people only a small proportion of the citizens voted upon them. In Wisconsin, he said, it ran as low as from 24 to 36 per cent. In Oregon he asserted on a question involving the future of the state's university in which the public had become keenly interested but 80 per cent had voted upon the question. Senator Ashurst, answering Senator Bailey, said the percentage of persons who voted on public questions in the states where direct legislation was attempted was fully as great as the percentage of United States senators, "sworn and paid to

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SENATOR JEFF DAVIS DIES SUDDENLY

STRICKEN AS RESULT OF AN ATTACK OF APOPLEXY

Statesman Dies at His Home in Little Rock at One O'clock This Morning—Had Been Senator From Arkansas Since 1907.

LITTLE ROCK, ARK., JAN. 3.—United States Senator Jeff Davis died suddenly at his home here at one o'clock this morning as the result of apoplexy.

The senator complained of feeling badly early last evening. At midnight he called to his son who was in an adjoining room that he was ill and to summon a physician. A doctor arrived half an hour later. As he entered the room Senator Davis fell back on his bed and was dead when the physician reached him. Up to the time he called his son, Senator Davis had apparently slept soundly.

Jefferson Davis was born near Richmond in the Little River country, Arkansas, May 6th, 1862. He was the son of Lewis W. and E. A. Davis. He received his preliminary education at Russellville, Ark., and then studied law in Vanderbilt University in 1884. He was admitted to the bar the same year, and rapidly arose to prominence. He had been prosecuting attorney of the fifth judicial district and attorney general of Arkansas. In 1900 he became governor and had the distinction of being the first governor of Arkansas to be three times elected to the office. He was elected United States Senator in January 1907 to succeed Hon. J. M. Berry. He was married in Russellville, Ark., October 22nd, 1882 to Ina McKenzie.

WILL NOT FILL VACANCY CAUSED BY HEYBURN'S DEATH

Republican Senators Have Decided to Leave Vacant on Finance Committee Because of Reorganization in March.

Washington, Jan. 2.—The Republican senators have decided not to fill the vacancy on the finance committee caused by the death of Senator Heyburn of Idaho, because of the prospect of a complete reorganization after March 5th, which will result in a general reduction of Republican representation and thus give scant service to any new member appointed at this time. The Democratic steering committee has determined upon the selection of Senator O'Gorman of New York as the successor of the late Senator Rayner of Maryland on the committee on foreign relations. The appointments to these and other vacancies caused by Mr. Rayner's death probably will be made tomorrow. Senator Jackson, the new Maryland senator and Senator Perky, who succeeds Mr. Heyburn will be given their committee assignments at the same time. The selection of Senator O'Gorman for a place on the foreign committee will have the effect of giving New York two members on that committee, as Senator Root also is a member of that committee. Both the New York senators are members also of the committee on the judiciary.

NEGRO IS THOUGHT TO HAVE COMMITTED CRIME

Police Believe Bloodstains on Handkerchief Found Near Logue's Body Were Made by a Negro—Several Under Suspicion.

Chicago, Jan. 2.—A negro now is believed by the police to have slain J. H. Logue, a diamond dealer, who was killed in his office in the McKiever building on Dec. 20th. Captain M. P. Evans today examined a bloody handkerchief found in Logue's office and supposed to have been used by the murderer for wiping his hands. He said the characteristics of the finger prints were those of a negro.

"The man who left that mark had a broad thumb," he said. "The distance between the center of the thumb and the edge is fully half an inch. That is a negro characteristic."

Several negroes have been under suspicion and the police examined one. He proved an alibi.

PARDONS AGED INDIAN.
Washington, Jan. 2.—President Taft today pardoned Michael Yoktelmees an aged Indian who pleaded guilty, at Butte, Mont., October 28th last to introducing liquor in the Flat Head Indian reservation. Nobody wanted to send the old man to prison. The trial judge and the prosecuting attorney recommended pardon and the imposition of sentence was deferred until the president could act.

HARMON ASKS RETURN OF CLYDE STRATTON.
Columbus, O., Jan. 2.—Governor Harmon has issued a requisition for the return of Clyde Stratton from Chicago where he was arrested in connection with the murder of Logue, the diamond merchant, to finish his sentence in the Ohio prison. Stratton escaped after serving but one year of a seven year sentence imposed for burglary.

URGES APPOINTMENT OF GOV. NORRIS

Senator Meyers Asks Wilson to Name Him For Cabinet

DOES NOT COMMIT SELF

Two Women Suggested For Cabinet—Governor Sleeps on His Way Home

DATE FOR SESSION NOT SET

TRENTON, N. J., JAN. 2.—Senator Henry L. Meyers of Montana today urged president-elect Wilson to appoint Governor Edwin L. Norris of Montana to the cabinet portfolio of secretary of interior. The term of Governor Norris will expire on January 14th.

"I esteem him very much," Mr. Wilson said, later, in referring to Governor Norris. "I have seen him at the conferences of the house of governors. He made an admirable impression and is very aggressive."

The president-elect however, held to his previous policy of not committing himself in response to intended appointments.

Governor Wilson was asked concerning the truth of the report that March 15th was to be the date on which the extra session of congress would be called.

"I have settled on no date yet," he replied, "as to March 15th, I think you will find it falls on Saturday."

One of the correspondents suggested that it might be Thursday, March 13th, in view of the governor's fondness for the number 13. Mr. Wilson only smiled.

Women Suggested For Cabinet.
Princeton, N. J., Jan. 2.—Governor Wilson arrived tonight, fatigued from a hard day's work at Trenton. He slept in his seat on the train to Princeton Junction, where a twenty minute wait was employed in a narrow one corner of the dimly lighted and unappointed station. The secret service men had to arouse him to get the train for this place and once on board the governor slept again until arrival here. Mr. Wilson was asked if the suffragists had suggested any names of women for cabinet position.

"I think I have received too such requests," he replied. "The recommendations were made in a general way, but one did urge a particular woman for secretary of war if I am not mistaken," but I ought to add that it was in the interest of peace."

LASCURAIN CONFERS WITH TAFT

Madero's Personal Representative Gives Assurance of Ability to Protect American Lives.

Washington, Jan. 2.—Senor Pedro Lascurain, Mexican minister for foreign affairs and personal representative at least for the time being, of President Madero came to Washington today to tell again to President Taft and Secretary of State Knox, the story of his government's successful struggle with rebellions, to re-assure them of its ability to protect American lives and property in that republic and incidentally it was whispered tonight to find if there was any truth at the bottom of recent reports that intervention by the United States was not merely a threat but an alarming possibility. Although white house officials had no statement to make tonight, it became known that the president made no special demands upon the Mexican foreign minister. He expressed particular interests in conditions in northern Mexico and was assured that recent troop movements in that part of the republic and Madero's efforts to meet with this country's desires for protection there had proved fruitful. He was able through reports to the state department in the last few days to confirm, partially at least, Senor Lascurain's statements.

Other conferences will be held beginning tomorrow.

ITALIANS ARE MURDERED

NEAR BLOOMINGTON.
Bloomington, Ill., Jan. 2.—Gustino Loggion and Joseph Salmo were found murdered this morning near a railroad crossing in Streator. Loggion was shot in the back and abdomen and Salmo had a bullet wound in his head, near the temple. The men were employed at the west plant of the American Bottle company and started for their rooms about 2:30 this morning. The bodies were discovered at 5 o'clock. The police claim to have no clue to the murderer.

ARCHIBALD MAY TESTIFY IN TRIAL IN OWN BEHALF

Washington, Jan. 2.—Judge Robert W. Archibald of the United States commerce court may take the witness stand in the senate tomorrow, during the progress of the impeachment trial against him. The impeachment court reconvened at 10:30 o'clock, after a recess since Dec. 19th. Members of the senate hope that all testimony will have been presented before the conclusion of the Saturday session.

"HEART BREAKER" IN HANDS OF LAW

RECEIVES MUCH MONEY FROM LONESOME BACHELORS

Confesses That She Has Corresponded With More Than 500 Bachelors Over the Country From Whom She Received Various Amounts of Money.

DES MOINES, IA., JAN. 2.—Florence Gamble, 32 years old and good looking, who styles herself "Iowa's champion heart-breaker," broke down and confessed to federal officers here today that she had corresponded with more than 500 lonesome bachelors over the country from some of whom she received amounts ranging from \$15 to \$50.

She told United States Commissioner W. M. McArthur and Postoffice Inspector Charles Caine, that she has received an average of 150 letters a week in the last two months. The woman withdrew her plea of not guilty to an information charging her with having swindled J. L. Prater of Arlington, Texas, out of \$30, through her matrimonial schemes.

According to Inspector Caine other charges growing out of the same case will be filed against the woman. Commissioner McArthur bound her over to the federal grand jury which convenes next May. She furnished bond of \$1,000.

"I have almost worn out my picture kissing it," she wrote Prater whom she called "the dearest man in all this world."

"I am a little short of money," she continued. "If you will send me \$25 I will come at once to Fort Worth and we can get married as soon as I arrive."

"Yes dear, I know you are the one for me. I don't want you to get such a thing into your head that I am after your hard-earned money. I would not come if I believed you thought I was. I am not that kind of a woman. I am honest and true to you."

MUCH OPPOSITION TO GOETHALS

Opposition by Democratic Senators President Taft's Plan Assumes Huge Proportion.

Washington, Jan. 2.—Opposition of Democratic senators to President Taft's plan of putting Col. George W. Goethals, builder of the Panama canal, at the head of the civil government of the zone, took such proportions today that some of Mr. Taft's advisers urged him to forego the plan and leave the creation of the new zone government to his successor, President-elect Wilson. One feature of the plan, however, if Col. Goethals is not put at the head of the zone government is to place all employees on the canal work under civil service by the president's executive orders. A few employees on the isthmus already are in civil service but the great number of canal workers have been appointed by the Isthmian Canal commission.

The attitude of the Democratic senators is that the present canal commission should not be displaced and disorganized until the canal is completed. They further take the position that the services of all the members of the commission are needed still, and they contend that to provide for Col. Goethals and summarily dismiss all other commissioners would be an unfair discrimination. Generally they express admiration for Col. Goethals and favor conferring all possible honors upon him.

PROPERTY OF FURNITURE COMPANY IS SOLD AT RECEIVER'S SALE

Property of Manufacturers Who Went Into Bankruptcy Last April With Assets \$1,000,000 Is Sold For \$496,000.

Michigan City, Jan. 2.—The property of the Ford and Johnson company, furniture manufacturers which went into bankruptcy last April with assets nominally \$1,000,000 was sold here today for \$496,000 at a receiver's sale to Harry Wehmer, of Cincinnati. Mr. Wehmer was a trustee for the second National Bank and the Cincinnati Trust company bond holders of the bankrupt concern.

Its liabilities were \$3,000,000. The bondholders included 41 banks in the east. It is stated that the property will be operated by the new owners.

CASTRO WILL SAIL SATURDAY

Former President of Venezuela Has Engaged Passage for Hamburg—Is Willing to Go.

New York, Jan. 1.—Cipriano Castro, former president of Venezuela, engaged passage today for Hamburg to sail on Saturday. No formal warrant to cause his detention has been made against Castro beyond the report of a surgeon that his physical condition made it advisable to keep him at Ellis Island pending further medical examination.

Before the decision of the immigration authorities was announced, Castro declared he was willing to go back to Europe of his own accord.

ATTORNEYS DEPART FOR CHICAGO COURT OF APPEALS

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 2.—Application for a supersedeas in connection with the convicted defendants of the dynamite conspiracy case will be made in the circuit court of appeals at Chicago tomorrow.

This announcement was made tonight after a conference of attorneys. Counsel for the defense and District Attorney Miller, departing for Chicago with the understanding that the matter would receive attention by the court tomorrow morning. The writ of error probably will not be presented to the circuit court of appeals for several weeks.

IDAHO PUBLISHERS BEGIN SENTENCES

Are Convicted of Contempt of State Supreme Court And Are Sentenced

NOW OCCUPY JAIL CELLS

The Three Must Serve Ten Days in County Jail and Pay a Fine of \$500

PRINTED ROOSEVELT SPEECH

BOISE, IDAHO, JAN. 2.—R. S. Sheridan, publisher of the Boise Capital News, C. O. Boxon, managing editor and A. R. Cruzen, a local capitalist convicted for contempt of the Idaho supreme court for criticizing the court's decision barring the Progressive candidates for presidential electors from the Idaho ballot, occupied a cell in the county jail, where they will serve out a ten day sentence. In addition to the jail sentence imposed on the three men they also were sentenced to pay fines of \$500 each.

The supreme court room was crowded today when the court announced its decision. The opinion, written by Justice Sullivan, was concurred in by Chief Justice Stuart. It upheld the inherent right of courts to punish for contempt. Justice Altshie dissented from the opinion on the ground that the case was not pending at the time of the publication of the article in question.

Although Cruzen in his affidavit to the court's charges made answer that he was in no way connected with the paper, the sworn statement of the publisher, made in compliance with the federal law was introduced showing the ownership of stock and bonds of the company and the court held Cruzen equally guilty with the publisher and editor.

When the court asked Boxon if he knew of any reason why sentence should not be pronounced he replied:

"None that this court will consider."

The three newspapermen were then sentenced and taken to the county jail, where they were placed in the cell occupied by Moyer, Haywood and Pettibone during their trials for alleged complicity in the assassination of Former Governor Steuneger.

The action against Sheridan, Boxon and Cruzen was brought on Dec. 2, by Attorney General McDowell. The publication of the message from Col. Roosevelt criticizing the court's decision was admitted by the publishers, but they denied that there was contemplating right under the constitution to criticize the court.

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NEW SERVICE MAKES PHENOMINAL START

TWO DAYS' OPERATION LOADS THE POSTOFFICES

Packages of Every Description Pouring Through Post Offices of the Country Indicate Service is Destined for Remarkable Growth.

Washington, Jan. 2.—Two days operation of the new parcel post system has loaded postoffices with fresh shipments, thousands of packages so improperly wrapped or packed that they cannot be transported and thousands of others stamped with ordinary postage instead of the distinctive parcel post stamps. Most of the freights have gone through out the latter classes will have to take the slow course, through the dead letter office. Postoffice officials, however, are confident that all the wrinkles in the new system will be ironed out with a few days practice on the part of the public.

President Taft received one of the first packages. It contained silver spoons from John Wanamaker of Philadelphia. Postmaster General Hitchcock has received several packages.

Eggs from Long Island, 300 miles away, passed through the local postoffice safely. Officials declared that any other fragile shipments, properly packed, were being handled without mishap all over the country. All classes of merchandise and of course, all mail matter formerly indicated as fourth class, continue to pour into the postoffices of the country indicating to officials that the new service is destined to have a phenomenal growth.

Postmaster General Hitchcock today issued an order amending the parcels post regulations so as to admit the parcels post service, pistols and revolvers whether in detached parts or otherwise.

At Chicago.
Chicago, Jan. 2.—The first business day in which the parcels post has been used in Chicago saw nearly 20,000 packages carried with the new stamps.

Business houses in the downtown district gave the system a tryout to compare it with delivery service. A large item of today's transaction was shoes, of which more than a thousand pair were mailed. The first carrier to leave the post office had in his bag two suits of clothing, a package of five pounds of butter and many other parcels.

Later in the day the mail order houses sent hundreds of packages to the sub-stations. This class of package heretofore has been sent by express.

Send Coffin By Mail.
Zanesville, O., Jan. 2.—A coffin was sent through mail to day from the Zanesville postoffice. It weighed 17 pounds and was sent by a manufacturer to an undertaker in Dexter City, Ohio. The lid had to be sent in a separate package so the body of the coffin would come within the eleven pound limit. The total postage was 68 cents.

At San Francisco.
San Francisco, Jan. 2.—The postoffice is swamped with matter consigned to the new parcels post. So great has been the demand for stamps that the \$37,000 requisition made at the outset is already nearing exhaustion and Postmaster Fliske issued an order to day limiting sales to \$20 to any one person or firm until urgent telegrams to Washington bring a fresh supply. In spite of repeated warnings, six hundred parcels were deposited to day around street mail boxes with ordinary postage on them. They will be sent to the dead letter office.

At New York Offices.
New York, Jan. 2.—The first violation of the parcel post law was discovered here this afternoon when a queer looking package addressed to Philadelphia was opened to reveal a live lobster and a handful of live shrimp. Under the law live shell fish are classed as unmailable matter. More than 1600 packages were at the branch offices. Only a small percentage of the persons using the parcel post to day took advantage of the privilege to have their packages insured.

MAURA'S RETIREMENT BRINGS UNEASINESS

Madrid, Spain, Jan. 2.—The retirement of Senor Maura from public life gives uneasiness to monarchist leaders, as some doubtless expressed to the sincerity of the conservative leaders motives in resigning from the senate and chamber of deputies. It is considered likely that the conservation party will be reorganized under the leadership of Senor Dato who was formerly president of the chamber of deputies.

STREET DEMONSTRATIONS.

Barcelona, Jan. 2.—Street demonstrations were held here today on the occasion of the retirement from public office of former Premier Maura. Processions were formed, which marched through the principal quarters crying "down with Maura, long live liberty."

Numerous speakers addressed the crowds and recalled that Senor Maura was premier when Francisco Ferrer was executed. The police finally dispersed the manifestants.

REJECT BURNETT BILL.

Washington, Jan. 8.—Conferees on the senate and house immigration bills were announced today. They are Senators Lodge, Tillamuth and Smith and Representatives Burnet, Sabath and Gardin.

PEACE DELEGATES ENJOY DAY OF REST

Even the Meeting of the Ambassadors is Purely Academic

SITUATION IS CHANGED

Advances Made Have Changed Conditions so That Delegates Await Instructions

FEELING BECOMES BITTER

LONDON, JAN. 22.—The plenipotentiaries to the peace conference enjoyed a day of general relaxation. Even the meeting of the ambassadors to day, was purely academic, as all agreed that yesterday's advances by Turkey had changed the situation to such an extent that they must await instructions from their respective governments.

The Turks continue to declare that their concessions have surpassed any logical expectation but that now they cannot, at any cost, cede an inch more. On the other hand the allies with unanimous voice and compact front, maintain that they would rather end the conference than to renounce what they claim is due them by right of their victories.

That the game is being played on both sides is evident. The Turks emphasize the enormous importance of what they have ceded, which in reality is only what they have lost and what, independently of the allies not even the powers would allow them to reconquer. The allies on the other hand belittle the Turkish concessions as they desire to settle for ever their differences with the Ottoman empire. The real stumbling block is Adrianople as a compromise solution respecting the Aegean Islands is possible.

The struggle certainly now will be bitter between Turks and the allies for the form of the peace treaty to appear to the tribunal of the European powers; the latter are threatening to resume the war. It is expected however that relief from this situation may result from the meeting of the ambassadors, to whose judgment probably both Turkey and the allies will submit if they decided unanimously what the fate of the islands must be.

The ambassadors to day review the whole situation without entering deeply into any particular question. They wish to have more concrete instructions before they do so. In the meantime an exchange of communications is occurring between the chancelleries of the triple entente and the triple alliance, while a special understanding is developing between Russia, Austria and Italy concerning Albania. There appears to be among the ambassadors a strong current in favor of the annexation of Crete to Greece but they claim that in exchange they should be entrusted with the decision respecting the fate of the islands.

Regarding the frontiers of Albania the opinion prevails among the ambassadors that they will be able to strike a proper medium between the two restricted suggestions of the allies and the too extended boundaries favored by Austria. It is reported that the Russian, Italian and French ambassadors are supporting this middle course.

Representatives of the Albanian provisional government who have arrived here today submitted tonight to the ambassadors a memorandum advocating the inclusion within the boundaries of Albania of a large extent of territory, including Prevesa, Janina, Monastir, Uskup, Pristina, Mitrovitza and Ipok. According to the Times, however the conference is not likely to take the Albanian question in hand for some time.

HARRIMAN ESTATE PAYS IMMENSE INHERITANCE TAX

Salt Lake City, Utah, Jan. 2.—The inheritance tax paid to the state of Utah by the estate of the late E. H. Harriman will cover about two-thirds of the cost of the erection of the state capitol which was contracted for today. The Harriman estate paid the state nearly three quarters of a million dollars and this was set aside by the last legislature as a capitol fund.

WEATHER INDICATIONS AND TEMPERATURES.

Washington, Jan. 2.—For Illinois: Fair Friday and probably Saturday, moderate west winds becoming variable.

Temperatures.		Current.	
Chicago, Jan. 2.—The maximum and minimum temperatures for to day were:		Current	High Low
Boston	42	54	54
Buffalo	48	48	34
New York	48	50	38
New Orleans	52	72	56
Chicago	28	40	39
Detroit	42	44	34
Omaha	28	30	22
St. Paul	14	18	18
Helena	44	46	18
San Francisco	56	58	46
Winnipeg	6	10	8



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DECLARES HIS ELECTION MAKES HIM DEMOCRATIC LEADER

Governor Sulzer of New York Makes Statement Which, if Challenged, He Said the People Will Decide.

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 2.—Governor William Sulzer declared tonight that his election as chief executive made him the Democratic leader of New York state.

"If any Democrat in the state challenges that leadership," he said, "let him come out in the open and the people will decide."

The governor's statement was made in response to inquiries as to whether Charles F. Murphy, leader of Tammany hall, had endorsed two of three members of a commission selected by Governor Sulzer to investigate state departments and bureaus. The governor said he would receive anyone who desired to see him at any time, including Col. Roosevelt, as head of the progressive movement; William Barnes Jr., as chairman of the Republican state committee; Charles F. Murphy, as leader of the New York county Democratic organization; J. P. Morgan, or Thomas P. Ryan.

"But," he added, "they must meet me in the open, the same as any other person."

The governor said he realized that Mr. Murphy as the leader of an independent political organization in New York, deserved recognition as such, and that he would receive requests from him, reserving the right, however, to deny that if they were not proper.

CRUISER APPROACHES NEW YORK.

British Craft Bearing Body of White-laid Reid Comes Abreast Fire Island.

New York, Jan. 3.—Far out from shore with their lights hardly discernable in the thick weather prevailing, the British Cruiser Natal, bringing home the body of the late Ambassador to England, White-laid Reid and her escort of six United States warships, came abreast of Fire Island at one o'clock this morning. The British war craft was met at Nantasket at 9 o'clock Thursday morning by the American naval vessels and the procession steamed slowly for this port. At the rate they were proceeding when sighted this morning the warships were time to reach Sandy Hook about daylight.

The program is for the Natal and her escorting squadron to enter the harbor at a comparatively early hour and steam up the Hudson to their final anchorage here about 10 o'clock.

PROPOSED TAX AMENDMENT.

Just Methods Can Not Be Introduced Under Present Constitutional Restrictions.

The whole purpose of the proposed tax amendment is to make it possible, by classifying property for purposes of taxation, to provide just and effective ways of assessing each of the various kinds of personal property which now escape. This property instead of being driven from the state, must remain and contribute regularly to the support of government, thereby lightening the disproportionate burden which now rests on land and visible property.

Special Taxes.
On this point the report of the Illinois special tax commission reads: "Special taxes on corporation and on mortgages and other kinds of intangible holdings are now used to a very large extent, especially in the larger eastern states, such as Massachusetts, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania and Maryland, and have also been introduced, to some extent, in Ohio, Wisconsin and Minnesota. But no such methods can be introduced in Illinois under the present constitutional restrictions."

Methods in Other States.
New York state has a recording mortgage tax of one-half of one per cent, payment of which exempts the mortgage from the regular personal property tax. In Illinois where there is no way of automatically compelling the assessment of such property by such a law, the tax rate would take nearly half the income and mortgages consequently evade taxation whenever possible. As a result it often happens that a man making part payment for a piece of land, takes title and pays taxes on the assessed value of the whole property (although his actual equity in it is small), while the seller with a mortgage for the greater value of the property is able to, and generally does, escape taxation altogether. The New York recording tax increases the revenues from mortgages from \$935,291 to \$4,950,278 in the first year of operation, and, because the tax rate imposed was small, so little complaint was heard from mortgage holders that the same system has since been applied to other forms of intangible property under the so-called "secured debt law."

Other inequalities of the Illinois system pointed out by the tax commission and other tax methods used in states enjoying greater freedom, will be referred to in subsequent bulletins.—Illinois Farmers' Institute.

STEAMSHIP COMPANY FAILS.

San Francisco, Jan. 2.—A. S. Cheselbrough, owner of the California-Atlantic Steamship company with Harry S. Bates confirmed a rumor to day that the company had failed for \$300,000. The California-Atlantic company has been in competition since October, 1st, 1912, with the Pacific Mail steamship company in the San Francisco and New York freight via Panama railroad.

TEARING DOWN HOMESTEAD.

Washington, Jan. 2.—Workmen began yesterday the destruction of the old home of Francis Scott Key, author of the "Star Spangled Banner," where Key lived from 1808. Memorial association failed in its efforts to raise enough money to preserve the structure.

TO HOLD FREQUENT PARTY CAUCUSES

Many Interesting Developments Expected at Gatherings Before Next Assembly.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 2.—Party caucuses almost every hour in the day for the two days preceding the meeting of the forty-eighth general assembly will bring to Springfield in large numbers, party leaders of both houses. Owing to the complex political situation in the new legislature important matters of organization are to be disposed of, and many interesting developments may be the result of the various party gatherings.

The regular party caucus of the Democratic members of the house has been called for 8 o'clock Tuesday evening at the St. Nicholas hotel. A call has also been sent out for a caucus of the anti-Lorimer Democrats to be held the night preceding the regular party caucus.

Republican members of the lower house will meet at four o'clock Tuesday afternoon. Republican members of the senate will meet at ten a. m. the same day. According to the announcement made today Representative Joseph Carter, of Champaign, leader of the Progressives in the house, they will caucus on both Monday and Tuesday preceding the day the legislature convenes.

BROTHER OF MEXICAN PRESIDENT ARRESTED WITH BURLINGTON PARTY

Police Arrest Carlos Madero and College Friend for Exceeding Speed Limit in Auto.

Burlington, Iowa, Jan. 2.—Carlos Madero, brother of the president of Mexico who is visiting a college friend here, was with a party of automobilists who were arrested for speeding. The police were not aware of Madero's identity and supposing him to be the driver were about the arrest him when they were made aware of the situation.

Had the arrest been made the United States government might have had a diplomatic tangle to adjust as young Madero is said to be his brother's confidential representative in secret missions concerning Mexican affairs in this country. As it turned out Madero's friend was freed, and Madero enjoyed the incident as a huge joke on his college chum.

Hillier's discount sale begins tomorrow.

DO NOT UNDERSTAND PARCELS POST LAW

Notwithstanding the fact that for the past month, both long and short articles have appeared in the daily papers about the provisions of the parcels post, patrons of Uncle Sam still do not understand. Postmaster Reeve said Thursday that out of the one hundred articles left at the post office Thursday, 20 per cent of them did not comply with the new law. The facts are very simple, however. All packages not first class go as parcels post and must have the special parcels post stamp upon them. The law also says that the sender's name must be upon the package. This latter was the only way the local post office had of informing some of the people that their packages could not be sent.

OCTOBER TRAFFIC EXCEEDS RECORD.

The receipts and the expenses of the steam railways for the month of October, 1912, are greater than for any other month in their history. Net operating revenue, which is the gross income before anything has been taken out for taxes and rentals, interest on bonds, appropriations for betterments or dividends, averaged \$15.71 per mile of line per day, which contrasts with \$13.74 for October, 1911, an increase of \$1.97. This is an increase per mile for the month of \$6.13, or 14.4 per cent. The monthly summary of the interstate railway economics, compiled from the reports of railways to the interstate commerce commission, covers for October 220,636 miles of line, or about 90 per cent of all of the steam railway mileage of the United States. The aggregate net operating revenue for this mileage was \$107,440,518, which is greater by \$14,870,125 than that for October, 1911. The increases were due in greatest proportion to the freight traffic which is always greater in October than in any other month of the year.

COAL LAND ON BOOM.

Interest in Macoupin Coal Rights In The year 1913 promises to be a very prosperous one for those land owners whose property is located in the coal producing sections of Macoupin county. The indications are now that a very large acreage will be taken over by different interests during this year says the Carlinville Democrat.

The latest piece of news is the effect that the Peabody interest, through L. H. Whip and Thos. Rinkaker, will take over a considerable tract estimated at fifteen thousand acres lying between Fairview farm, north of Carlinville, and Nilwood and Atwater. If this proposed deal is consummated, it will mean the payment of some \$200,000 to land owners whose property is included in the deal.

It is stated that drills will soon be put to work and the field tested out. The Crawford headquarters in this city is a busy place these days. Abstracts are being turned in and these are being examined by attorneys. Drills for the Crawford interests are at work and will be continued.

Dr. Dorsey-McClure deal which contemplates taking over a large acreage running north from Gilipste, seems to be progressing very satisfactorily. We are advised that five drills will soon be under option is generally regarded as coal producing land and the prospects are very bright for a sale of that field to be consummated soon.

TOILET PAPERS

All Kinds and All Prices, From 5c Roll or 6 for 25c, to 35c Per Roll.

WE HAVE AS OUR LEADERS

The Famous "A. P. W."

2500 sheets finest satin tissue to roll; 4 rolls and holder in carton, \$1.00.

Headlight

1,000 sheets positively guaranteed to be free from injurious chemicals. Soluble in water and will not clog drain pipes. Has no superior for health and safety. 10c a roll, 3 for 25c.

Mayflower

1,000 sheets fine quality. Selected Boudoir tissue, 10c package; 3 packages, 25c; Seminole large roll, 5c roll, 6 rolls for 25c.

Kantleek Rubber Water Bottles

You know how uncertain are wearing qualities of the ordinary bottle. You also know the satisfaction in buying guaranteed goods. "KANTLEEK" is the guaranteed kind. The "KANTLEEK" guarantees to protect you against this. If any bottle should show the slightest imperfections within two years from date of purchase, we replace it without charge.

Kantleek Were the First Rubber Goods to be Sold with a Written Guarantee. This Should Satisfy Every Buyer.

There are no strings to this guarantee. We are willing at all times, without quibble or question, to make everything good. The same guarantee comes with the "Kantleek" fountain syringes, ice bags and other "Kantleek" rubber goods.

ABOUT OUR PHARMACY

Our pharmacy is complete in every detail and we fill our own preparations with the utmost care. Its convenient also to the housewife to have drugs sent along with the groceries and the smallest item from our drug department will receive our special attention, the same as the larger order.

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Seat Sale Opens Monday

Today!

Shooting Savages, champion shots of the world; Dooley and Morley, comedians; probably

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That's just the way it goes with good Cigars—they all want 'em. Now, we've been making this sweet, long filler, hand-made cigar only eleven months, but in that time they've made a great name for themselves. We call 'em

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Because they are only five cents each, and because they are very desirable—mild, kind to the taste, and a long, easy-going cigar.

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500 samples to choose from, also from your own cloth. Cleaning, altering, repairing. Improved machinery, best work.

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SOUTH-EAST CORNER SQUARE

\$1.20

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"Hercules Flour"

\$1.20 per sack

Guaranteed by Your Grocer

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Phelps & Osborne's Nine Days Sale!

Give the parting shot to close the year 1912 and to open the new year with a great rush sale that will be of interest to the people who are money savers.

Sale ends Friday Jan. 3d, at 6 o'clock p.m. and will be on our second floor in our Ready-to-wear Section. If you don't want this class of merchandise for this season it will be a money saving proposition to buy now for next season's needs. Money saved is money made.

WONDERFUL PRICE REDUCTIONS!

LADIES' TAILORED SUITS

To clean out our line of Ladies' Fine Tailored Suits in a Rush we have placed them in three lots at Rush Sale Prices.

LOT NO. 1.—Suits worth up to \$20.00—Your choice of this lot..... \$9.85

LOT NO. 2.—Suits from \$20.00 to \$25.00—Take your choice of this lot at..... \$14.50

LOT NO. 3.—Suits from \$25.00 up to \$40.00—Choice of this fine lot..... \$22.50

These Suits are all 1912 Models and fine materials.

LADIES' COATS

This season's fine Coats in a great variety of cloths and all 1912 models.

Values up to \$15.00—Special Rush out price..... \$9.85

\$15.00 to \$20.00 values—Special Rush out price..... \$14.85

\$20.00 to \$25.00 values—Special Rush out price..... \$19.85

\$25.00 to \$30.00 values—Special Rush out price..... \$22.50

One lot Black Coats. Some very special values. Choice of the lot only..... \$5.00

Ladies Shirts, \$1.50 values—Rush out price..... 75c

One elegant Velour Coat, a great \$60.00 value. A very special price to sell it at once. Only..... \$42.50

JUNIOR COATS

The remainder of our elegant line of 1912 Models, Plain Cloths, Diagonals and Fancy Mixtures, all colors are placed in three lots at Rush Out Prices.

LOT NO. 1—Values up to \$10—Rush Out Price..... \$6.85

LOT NO. 2—Values up to \$15—Rush Out Price..... \$10.85

LOT NO. 3—Values up to \$20—Rush Out Price..... \$12.85

The exceptional opportunity to secure Coats at these prices means COME NOW.

LADIES' DRESS SKIRTS

Our large line of Skirts to be sacrificed with the balance in this great merchandise event, a wonderful opportunity to secure Skirts for a money saving price.

\$5 and \$6.50 Skirts—Rush Out Price..... \$2.50

Ladies' \$1.50 Kimonos..... 98c

Flannelette Kimonos and Bath Robes..... \$1.50

\$10 Skirts—Rush Out Price..... \$7.85

\$5.00

See the great display rack. A special feature of this sale will be Suits, Dresses, Coats and other merchandise on a display rack; values up to \$20. If you come early you get the choice. Choice of the lot only..... \$5.00

CHILDREN'S SECTION

Children's Wool Dresses. Values up to \$5..... \$3.50 Values up to \$6.50..... \$4.85

CHILDREN'S COATS

The display of our line of Children's Coats in three lots at very taking prices.

LOT NO. 1—\$2.00 Coats..... \$2.50

LOT NO. 2—Values \$4.00 to \$6.00..... \$3.50

LOT NO. 3—Values \$6.00 to \$8.00..... \$4.50

The cold weather is coming late; mothers provide the children with good warm coats at about 1/2 price

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Special turkey dinner to day.

You will appreciate the high quality of the service here.

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We are agents for acetylene light plants, burners, fixtures and all accessories. Let us show you the plans if you are contemplating installing a light plant in your home.

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The Seasons Greetings

With every good wish for a very Happy and Prosperous Year. We extend our best wishes for 1913.

No. 5 west side Square.

A. WEIHL

CITY AND COUNTY

Mrs. Laura Williams, 216 Anna street, is very ill.

Charles Sullivan of Murrayville spent yesterday in the city.

Lester Means of Milton is visiting friends in the city this week.

C. N. Priest, the Ford man has at his east Morgan street garage a complete line of parts for the Ford machine; repairing of all kinds.

Jacob Strawn residing six miles north, visited the city yesterday.

Miss Lee Welch of Quincy is visiting Miss Sadie Lott of this city.

Miss Jeanette Freitag enjoyed a New Year party in Winchester.

J. B. Metz of Chambersburg was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

Miss Alice Taylor is visiting at the home of her brother J. W. Taylor.

John Flannigan of Waverly, was a business caller in the city Thursday.

E. Eitor of Waverly was a business visitor in Jacksonville Thursday.

At the garage of C. N. Priest, the Ford man, east Morgan street, a full line of repairs for the Ford; repair work done promptly.

Iryll Jones of Ashland was among the business men in the city yesterday.

J. A. Gibson of Urbana was transacting business in the city yesterday.

B. V. Evans of Midland was among the Thursday business callers in the city.

Martin Anderson of Franklin, was a business caller in the city Thursday.

Clarence Baker of Pisgah was among the shoppers in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Arthur Seymour of Murrayville was a shopper in the city yesterday.

J. B. Jump of Winchester transacted business in Jacksonville yesterday.

Miss Della Clerihan of Girard, Kansas, is visiting friends in this vicinity.

Mrs. Andrew Tranbarger of Franklin was shopping in the city Thursday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wm. M. Crum of the region of Litterberry visited the city yesterday.

Miss Marie Wells of Beardstown was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

G. J. Dowell of Franklin, was transacting business in the city Thursday.

Miss Maud Franz of the store of F. J. Waddell & Co., is detained at home by illness.

Edmund Blackburn of the northwest part of the county was in the city yesterday.

Misses Emma and Cornelia Weigand are visiting with friends in Bloomington.

Miss Lucile Reibach went to Carrollton today to spend a few days with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Finney of Beardstown were callers in the city Thursday.

James E. Thompson of White Hall was a business caller in the city Thursday.

Harrison Corbridge of Bluffs was among the business callers in the city yesterday.

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Mrs. Susie Settle of Virginia is visiting her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Hayes Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Osborne and son were representatives of Murrayville in the city yesterday.

A. C. Metcalf has gone to the southern part of the state in the interests of the Woman's college.

Chas. Samples and Fletcher Hopper spent Thursday hunting on the farm of Frank Hunter at Sinclair.

Mrs. James M. Green of Lamar, Mo., is visiting with relatives and friends in Jacksonville and vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Olan, Miss Bertha Green and Herman Cohen spent New Year's Day in Springfield.

H. C. Foulk, proprietor of the Dunlap house, is visiting at the home of F. F. Patterson in Franklin.

CLEAN UP SALE commences tomorrow. Jacksonville Tailoring Co. All suits and overcoats at cost. Clean up sale. Jacksonville Tailoring Co.

Mrs. John O'Donnell who has been spending the past week with relatives in Springfield returned home Thursday.

Mrs. Henry Cowan of Beardstown is a guest at the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Finney on Jordan street.

Miss Dorothy Andrews of Bloomington is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Andrews on South Diamond street.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Breckon ate New Year's dinner with Mrs. Breckon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry McLaughlin near Winchester.

Miss Alma Forsythe who has been spending the holidays here has gone to Arkadelphia, Ark., where she will resume her duties in Ouachita college.

MISS LUCILE HARRIS TO WED FRANKLIN C. ORTON

Popular Young People of Lincoln Announce Their Engagement at Dinner Party—Bride-to-be Well Known in Jacksonville.

At a dinner party given Tuesday evening at the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Collins of Lincoln, announcement was made of the engagement of their niece, Miss Lucile Harris, to Franklin Cleveland Orton. The announcement follows a romance of the past year and was generally expected by friends.

Miss Harris is a most accomplished young woman of many friends. She is well known in Jacksonville, where she has often visited. She has made her home in Lincoln for the past year with her uncle, Dr. Collins. Previously she lived in New York with her sister, Mrs. D. M. Parker.

Franklin Orton is the second son of Mrs. Caroline Orton. He is at present a student at Dartmouth university, from which institution he will graduate next spring. He also has friends in this city. He is a graduate of Exeter college and was engaged in magazine advertising before he entered the university.

STREET ACCIDENTS IN NEW YORK CAUSE MANY DEATHS

New York, Jan. 2.—Street accidents in this city during the year 1912 caused the death of 532 persons. Statistics made public today by the National Highway Protective society, show that 230 of these victims were children, of whom 103 were run over by automobiles.

Of the total deaths 221 were due to automobiles, 134 to trolley cars and 177 to wagons. During the same period 2,363 persons were injured. The deaths from these accidents in 1911 numbered 423.

Ninety-nine drivers of motor cars ran away after the accidents.

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Harmon's
DRY GOODS STORE

JUDGE LANDIS HOLDS SALE OF ILLINOIS PROPERTY ILLEGAL

Sets Aside As Illegal Sale of Properties of the Chicago, Milwaukee Electric Railway.

Chicago, Jan. 2.—In setting aside as illegal the sale of the Illinois properties of the Chicago, Milwaukee Electric railway company, United States Judge Landis said to day:

"It is the declared purpose of the re-organization committee to turn the property over to a new company which shall issue securities of \$26,500,000. Of this total it is the committee's purpose that the new company shall put out \$21,000,000 to be used in putting through this reorganization. It is plain that the great mass of these securities will represent no investment whatever by anybody at any time. This is proposed to be done in the teeth of the public utility law of Wisconsin and the constitution of Illinois."

"The members of the committee and of the council will do well to consider whether it would not be advisable to adopt a program in accordance with law."

Counsel for the re-organization committee announced an appeal from the decision.

RECALL STATE SENATOR.

San Jose, Cal., Jan. 2.—The first recall election, under the new state law was held to day in the twenty-eighth senatorial district for the recall of State Senator Marshall Black and the selection of his successor. Partial returns indicate that the recall of Black by a large majority and the election of Herbert C. Jones, Republican to succeed him. Black was a Progressive leader in the state senate and was secretary of a building and loan association which was closed by order of a state last summer after Black had admitted a shortage of more than \$100,000. Black is awaiting trial on several indictments.

VISITING IN WEST.

Archie Ziegler has gone to Los Angeles, California for a visit of several months with his brother.

MISS ASQUITH GUEST OF BRITISH AMBASSADOR.

Washington, Jan. 2.—Miss Violet Asquith, daughter of the prime minister of Great Britain and Lady Isabel Maria, countess of Aberdeen, wife of the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, arrived here to day to be the guest for a few days of the British ambassador and Mrs. Bryce. Many entertainments and social functions have been arranged in their honor.

We have all sizes of hard coal. Call us, either phone No. 9.

Harrigan Bros.

WOULD STOP HAZING.

Washington, Jan. 2.—With a view to preventing hazing at the naval academy Senator Parkins of California to day introduced a bill which would make a cadet dismissed for hazing ineligible for re-appointment and also ineligible for appointment as a commissioned officer in the army, navy or marine corps, until after the graduation of the class of which he was a member.

AMERICAN FENCE

Best Lead Drawn Double Galvanized. Stay wire three wraps on top wire and same size as line wire. Gay's Reliable Hardware.

Oil of Gladness Mops and Dusters

This long dry period has been particularly trying for every housekeeper. House cleaning was done as usual in the early fall but these dry, dusty, windy, days have left their mark. If you are not acquainted with the use of

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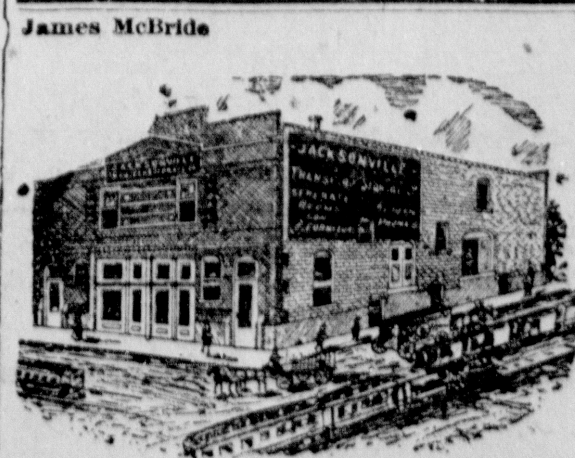
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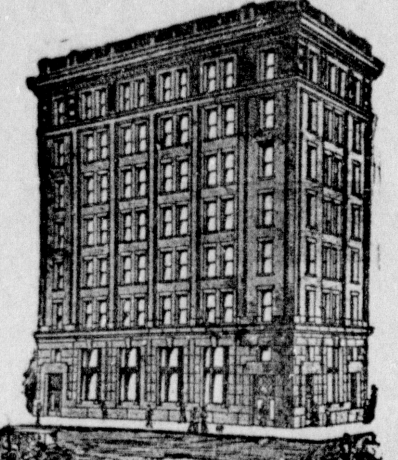
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The combined capital and surplus of this bank is **ONE QUARTER MILLION DOLLARS**
The largest of any bank in Jackson county

United States Depository

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CONDENSED STATEMENT

of the condition of

The Ayers National Bank

At the Close of Business, Dec. 31, 1912.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$1,027,030.03
United States Bonds (par value)	100,000.00
Overdrafts	7,389.32
Other Bonds and Securities (market value)	174,550.95
Real Estate	1,721.88
Cash and due from Banks (exchange)	296,204.75
	\$1,606,896.93

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	\$200,000.00
Surplus Funds	50,000.00
Undivided Profits	29,926.45
Circulating Notes received from the Comptroller	98,600.00
Dividends now payable	8,000.00

DEPOSITS

Banks	\$9,633.05
Subject to check	888,464.86
Certificates of Deposit	322,272.57
	1,220,370.48
	\$1,606,896.93

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT

DEPOSITS

Deposits December 31, 1912	\$1,220,370.48
Deposits December 31, 1911	1,141,219.98
Increase of Deposits for year	\$79,150.50

REAL ESTATE

Owned by Bank December 31, 1911	\$46,313.71
Owned by Bank December 31, 1912	1,721.88
Real Estate reduced during year	\$44,591.83

EARNINGS

Net Earnings December 31, 1911	\$15,696.58
Net Earnings December 31, 1912	31,989.11
	\$47,685.69
Dividend July 1, 1912, 4 per cent.	\$8,000.00
Dividend applied for payment Jan. 2, 1912	8,000.00
Suspended Note	\$3174.24
Suspended Notes recovered	1415.00
	\$1759.24
Earnings carried forward Dec. 31, 1912	\$29,926.45
The net earnings for the year 1912 as above shown are \$31,989.11, or 16 per cent on capital of \$200,000.	

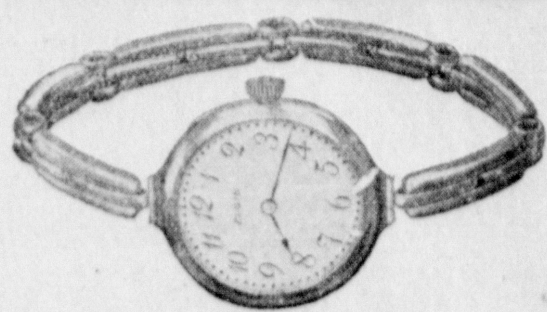
We extend to all our friends and customers Best Wishes for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

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FINE GOLD WATCHES, DIAMONDS, SOLID GOLD JEWELRY.



Solid Silver 1847 Rogers Spoons, Knives and Forks, Ladies' Gold Filled Watches, \$9.00 up; Watch Bracelets, \$8 up; Gents' Gold Filled Watches, \$8.00 up; will not be undersold. Fine watch repairing a specialty. All goods engraved free of charge. It will pay you to trade at PRICES' JEWELRY STORE, 218 East State St., Jacksonville, Ill. Best Goods, Lowest Prices.

JAMES R. KEENE DIES IN NEW YORK

FAMOUS SPORTSMAN AND FINANCIER SUCCEUMS.

Aged Horseman Died at Sanitarium in New York at 2:15 O'clock This (Friday) Morning—Death Was Due to Operation After Long Illness.

NEW YORK, JAN. 3.—James R. Keene, the financier and horseman died at 2:15 o'clock this morning in a sanitarium here from the effects of an operation. He was 73 years old and had been ill for a long time.

Born in England, Mr. Keene went to California early in life, got a start as a miner and soon afterwards became active in the investment field, making a fortune in stocks. Coming to New York he was a prominent figure in stock market operations for more than a quarter of a century. He lost a fortune in 1884, but made another one six years afterward.

Mr. Keene's hobby and pastime was the turf and his stables made his name one to conjure with in horse racing field. At different times he owned many of America's best horses and his turf earnings for years headed the list of American owners.

James Robert Keene, one of the most daring speculators and most noted turfman of his time, was born in London, England, of North of Ireland stock, in 1838. He was in his infancy when his parents emigrated to the United States and settled in Virginia, where he spent his boyhood days. In 1852 his family moved to California, where young Keene made his start in life. In Shasta county, California, James R. Keene began his career as a cow-puncher. He did not remain at this occupation long, however, but successively earned a living as a reporter, an editor, a school teacher and even as a milk peddler of mining camps.

Eventually young Keene drifted to San Francisco which, at that time, was in the throes of the gold mining fever. There fortunes were made and others lost in a day and the atmosphere of speculation eminently suited a young man of Keene's disposition. He went to Virginia City, Nev., to mine for gold and succeeded in accumulating about \$100,000. With this capital he returned to San Francisco and became a curb broker. His first ventures were so successful that within a few months he increased his capital to more than \$125,000. He began to indulge the dream of becoming a bonanza king, for other deals continued to add to his funds.

Hopeful of a great future, he planned to marry Miss Sarah Dainierfeld, a Virginia beauty with whom young Keene had fallen in love. The girl's brother, Judge William P. Dainierfeld of the United States circuit court in California, objected to the marriage, but young Keene won his bride nevertheless. Scarcely had they become united in marriage, when serious financial reverses overtook them. It was in 1870, that the market went the wrong way for the young speculator and he lost his whole fortune of \$300,000.

It was Keene's good fortune, that he had made a staunch friend of Senator Felton, then a powerful factor in finance. When Felton became assistant treasurer of the United States he was compelled to retire from the San Francisco mining exchange and he sold his seat to Keene on trust. Thus Keene became a recognized broker on change. He soon became known by his remarkable bear campaign against the inflated stocks of the Bonanza mines, which netted him \$3,000,000. The bank of California, which was involved in the mining deals, failed, but Keene helped to organize a syndicate to protect the depositors of the bank.

To recuperate from the strenuous work of that campaign Keene, upon the advice of his physician, decided to go to Europe for a rest. He came as far as New York, but the fascination of Wall street, where Jay Gould was then one of the most potent factors, was too great and Keene postponed his trip to Europe plunging, instead, into the stock market, with the supposed intention of measuring swords with Gould. For a while Keene and Gould worked together in several important deals and Keene prospered, but Gould, who was believed to be jealous of Keene, soon turned against him at a critical moment.

It was in the year 1878 that Keene was swept off his feet. He had attempted to corner the wheat market and had gone to the full limit of his fortune, but Gould caused his agents to throw enormous quantities of wheat upon the market, breaking the corner and financially ruining Keene. With the shattered remains of his former fortune, Keene sought to recover from this defeat, but Gould continued his warfare and so completely ruined Keene, that the latter, on April 30, 1884, was compelled to suspend and to sell his house, his household effects, his paintings and other works of art which he had accumulated and his already famous stables, to satisfy his creditors.

Keene retired to a modest home in Far Rockaway, L. I., but his spirit was by no means broken. With borrowed money he again began to speculate, greatly helped by his combination with the Havemeyers. His deals in American Sugar Refining stocks soon put him on his feet again and in a short time he had repaid every cent of the \$3,000,000, which he owed to his creditors. It was understood that he represented the Standard Oil interests and the Whitney-Widener-Elkins syndicate and these connections enabled him to accumulate several million dollars in a few years. His bear campaign in Cordage Trust also netted him

large profits. Soon he was able to buy a string of fine horses, many of which, like Domino, Commando, Sysonby, Colin, Peter Pan, Cap and Bells, Tommy Atkins, Celt and Ballot, won fortunes for their owner on the track. During the last years of his life Mr. Keene's activity as a stock operator was more conservative, yet he engineered a bitter campaign against William C. Whitney and made an enormous fortune in United States Steel corporation.

BAILEY DELIVERS FAREWELL ADDRESS

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vote on legislation" who voted on the majority of the subjects. Senator Ashurst in his defense of Mr. Hearst asserted that his name was associated with the success of many projects to promote the happiness of the people; and declared that he was a firm friend, a loving husband, and a faithful father.

"More than that I need not say; less than that I could not say," he added.

Plan to Secure Rockefeller.
A series of earnest conferences and a vast amount of digging into dusty tomes of law occupied the members of the house connected with the money trust investigation today in their efforts to involve a plan to secure the testimony of William Rockefeller, whom the sergeant-at-arms of the house has tried in vain to serve with a subpoena since last June. Meanwhile Sergeant-at-arms Reidell and a number of deputies and private detectives are camped about the New York home of the oil magnate.

After talking with house leaders, Chairman Pujo of the "money trust" committee issued a statement tonight, reviewing the attempts to secure the testimony of Mr. Rockefeller, in which he expressed the hope that it would not be necessary to exert the full legal power of the house to secure service of the subpoena.

Mr. Pujo would not say what plans were evolved to aid the sergeant-at-arms in his work. He said a meeting of the committee would be called either tomorrow or Saturday and the matter would be taken up formally.

The sergeant-at-arms and his squad of assistants will be kept on duty in New York in the hope that Mr. Rockefeller may voluntarily accept service or that he can be reached by strategy.

May Have Left the Country.
Brunswick, Ga., Jan. 2.—William Rockefeller, wanted as a witness before the Pujo "money trust" investigating committee, sailed from Jekyll Island, near Brunswick, on Tuesday on an unidentified steamer for an unknown port, according to reports here.

Accompanied by his wife and son, Mr. Rockefeller arrived at Jekyll Island more than three weeks ago, according to the reports. Instead of going to the Rockefeller winter home, the party got quarters in an apartment house and remained in seclusion. The apartment house is near the handsome home of Mr. Rockefeller.

Extreme secrecy is maintained by residents of Jekyll Island regarding the departure of the Rockefellers. The name of the vessel on which they departed also has been carefully withheld.

Tonight it was stated that Mr. Rockefeller chartered a special steamer. A rumor also was current that the party sailed on the private yacht of a New York sportsman, and that the destination was the Bermuda Islands.

67,228 IS KAISER'S KILL.

One Whale Among Hunting Trophies of German Ruler.

Berlin, Jan. 2.—A mighty hunter is the kaiser. According to statistics published by a sporting journal, he has killed 67,228 animals during his shooting career. Included in the list are 33,574 pheasants, 17,950 hares, 3,442 wild boar, 2,688 stags, 867 partridges, three turkeys and one whale.

WANTS CITIES TO CONTROL PHONES.

Keokuk, Ia., Jan. 2.—Keokuk residents, incensed because of the increase of rates announced by the Iowa Telephone company, will ask Senators E. W. McManus and W. R. C. Hamilton to introduce a bill in the coming session of the legislature giving cities control over the rates of telephone companies and asking them to oppose the public utilities bill. Officials of the company have said that the company will not reduce the rates again as they were not sufficient to keep up the running expenses of the local exchange.

START NEW YEAR RIGHT.

Mexico City, Jan. 2.—The Zapattistas in the state of Morelos began the new year with many excesses. Various towns were sacked, cane fields burned and several persons kidnapped. Fighting between rurales and rebels near Xochitpepe resulted in the route of the rebels, who left behind ten killed and forty wounded, according to a federal report.

WEST VIRGINIA SENATE DEADLOCKED.

Charleston, W. Va., Jan. 2.—The West Virginia legislature was confined in extraordinary session today. The day's session amounted to nothing. Tonight Republican and Democratic members of the senate stand as a tie the same as they did two years ago. A United States senator is to be chosen.

CHRISTMAS TREE FIRE PANIC.

Seattle, Wash., Jan. 2.—Damage estimated at \$25,000 was done to the main lobby of Hotel Washington early yesterday, when a large Christmas tree was destroyed by fire. The rush of smoke into the dining room caused a panic among the New Year celebrators and many women climbed out the windows and down firemen's ladders to escape. Smoke and water ruined the expensive decorations of the lobby before the fire was extinguished.

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Where Estate Stoves, Wear-Ever Aluminum and O-Cedar Mops are Sold.

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RYAN STATES POSITION.

Danville, Ill., Jan. 2.—State Treasurer-elect William Ryan, Jr., tonight announced having heretofore stated that banks holding state funds must return cash to the state treasurer instead of checks of deposit. He stated, however, that he would not accept such checks unless amply secured. He also announced having given several interviews that have appeared of late in the Chicago newspapers.

Mr. Ryan says he gave one paper a written statement of his position, but it was not printed.

Hillery's discount sale begins tomorrow.

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Wholesale and retail fresh OYSTERS

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See the new things in our West window
Brass Jardinieres
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Finger Bowls - Serving Trays
Smoking sets-Vases
Everything in Brass

Rayhill China Store

Choosing the Right Cuts

We take pleasure in helping our customers select the special cuts of beef they want. There is a great deal in knowing how to choose the cuts which will furnish the most nutrition and there is a lot too in knowing the best way to cut meat. Ask us to aid you in selecting meat, then use care and correctness in cooking and the results will satisfy you. Good meat at reasonable cost is our motto.

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Everyone realizes that this disease is a blood infection of the most powerful nature, the virus of which so thoroughly poisons the corpuscles of the circulation that its symptoms are manifested over almost the entire body. First comes a tiny sore or pimple, then the mouth and throat ulcerate, glands in the groin swell, the hair begins to fall out, skin diseases break out on the body, and even the bones ache with rheumatic pains. Only a real blood purifier can have any curative effect on a blood poison so powerful as this. S. S. S. is the greatest of all blood purifiers; it goes into the circulation and by thoroughly cleansing the blood of every particle of the insidious virus makes a permanent and lasting cure of Specific Blood Poison. If you are suffering with this disease S. S. S. will cure you because it will purify your blood and enrich its health-promoting corpuscles. S. S. S. is so absolutely safe and certain in its results, that everyone may cure themselves at home and be assured the cure will be permanent and lasting. S. S. S. is a purely vegetable remedy, being made entirely of roots, herbs and barks, and it will certainly cure Specific Blood Poison in all of its forms and stages. Home Treatment Book and medical advice free to all.

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The kind that really protect and keep you warm and dry, and at the same time have none of the usual inconveniences. The cost of one spell of illness, due to a long drive in inclement weather, often is more than one of these buggies. You figured on buying a storm buggy last season, but didn't; you are thinking of it now. Don't put it off any longer. Call in and let us show you our line.

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NOTICE

All accounts on our books are now due. Prompt settlement will be appreciated.

Walton & Company

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CITY AND COUNTY

Edgar Smith of Winchester paid the city a visit yesterday. Henry Fisher of Arenzville was a caller in the city Thursday. Frank Tracey of Alexander was a caller in the city Thursday. Harry Briggs of Kansas City is visiting with friends in the city. J. J. Wintler of Roodhouse was in the city yesterday on business. H. Johnson of Danville was calling on Jacksonville business men Thursday.

Mrs. Henry Cade of Murrayville was calling on city friends Thursday. Thomas Boyd east of the city, was calling on local merchants yesterday. Irvin Fisher was a business caller in the city Thursday from Arenzville.

Louis Rexroat of Concord was transacting business in the city yesterday. Miss Fannie Boyd who resides east of the city, was shopping here yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Franken, residing in Chandlerville, were in the city yesterday.

Elmer Miller of Hillview was transacting business in the city Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Robb of Perry were shopping in the city Thursday. Miss Litha Wilcox of New Berlin is in the city visiting with Miss Mabel Bacon.

Harold and Wilma Williamson are visiting with relatives and friends in Beardstown.

I. V. Pond of Bluff Springs was among the business callers in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Abe McCullough and son of Scott county were visitors in the city yesterday.

Miss Stella Greenewalt has returned to Highland, Ill., where she is teaching school.

Alfred Jackson of Litchfield spent New Year's day with relatives and friends in the city.

Mrs. Ida Kincaid and two daughters of Winchester were Thursday visitors in the city.

Herschel Bowyer and family of Franklin, were shopping in the city Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Sarah Carver and daughter, Mrs. Jane Woodson, were visitors from Bluffs Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Young, who were recently married, have returned from a visit in St. Joe, Mo.

Mrs. George Brown and daughter Miss Elsie of Concord were among the Thursday visitors in the city.

Misses Margaret and Frances English have returned from a visit with friends in Williamsport, Ind.

Miss Nell Reaugh has returned to Collinsville, to resume her duties as teacher in the public schools of that place.

Glen Butler has resigned his position with the Adams Express Company and his place has been taken by Russell Connor.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Taylor and daughter Elizabeth have returned from Mt. Sterling, where they have been visiting friends.

Mrs. William Peak and Miss Myrtle Sheppard have returned to their homes in Chicago after a visit with relatives in the city.

Miss Eva Noelsch expected today to go to Pergus Falls, Minn., to take a position as teacher in the Northwest college of that city.

R. W. Simpson of Peoria, route agent for the Adams Express Company, was transacting business at the local office yesterday.

Mrs. William Jackson has returned to her home in Chicago after a visit in the city at the home of her mother, Mrs. William Sargent.

Mrs. James Gunn and children of Wheatland, Wyo., are visiting at the home of Mrs. Gunn's sister, Mrs. E. J. Reid of Ebenezer vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Arbuckle have purchased the residence property at 325 Anna street, which was formerly owned by Samuel Bolden.

F. L. Hairgrove is making arrangements for a public sale of his farming property, which will be held next week. He has purchased a farm near Kansas City and expects to move there soon.

Frank Rucker, who has been visiting with friends in Jacksonville, returned Thursday to Columbia university, Mo., where he is taking a course in Journalism.

Miss Marie Cole of Carlville is visiting her brother Bernard Cole. Mr. Cole has been ill several days but is able again to be at his duties at the gas office.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Sinclair were in the city yesterday on their way to their home in Hale, Missouri, after a visit with Mr. Sinclair's parents and friends in and near Ashland.

Mrs. I. T. Sheppard of Hutchinson, Kansas, is in the state visiting her father William Watson of the vicinity of Winchester. She was in the city yesterday with her little daughter on her way to Woodson to visit the family of James Devore. She is very glad to get back among the scenes of her childhood.

Mrs. John Johnson and Mrs. Chas. McBride of Litchfield expected to spend to day at the home of the former's father A. J. Johnson in Alexander.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Escore have returned to their home in Beardstown after a pleasant visit with relatives and friends in the city. They enjoyed several dinners in their honor.

John Norman of Winchester has returned to his home after spending the holidays with his daughters. Mrs. Will Henderson northeast of the city and Mrs. Chas. Daffner of Brown street.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Vannier returned to their home in Neelyville yesterday after a visit with their son Arthur and family of this city. Mr. Vannier attended the Russell sale near Woodson, being much interested in ponies.

Edward Tomlinson, son of T. M. Tomlinson, had the honor of being the first depositor in the savings department of the Ayers National bank yesterday morning in the palatial edifice occupied by that corporation.

CHARGES STATE OFFICIAL WITH USING OFFICE FOR PROFIT

It is Alleged That Californian Was Employed By Lumber Companies While in the Office of the State.

Sacramento, Cal., Jan. 2.—Surveyor-General Kingsbury made public today his charges against Louis R. Glavis, former secretary of the conservation and water commissions who resigned both offices while Governor Johnson was conducting an executive examination. Kingsbury alleges that Glavis was employed by two big lumber companies in furtherance of their interests before the United States land office at Washington while he was on the payroll of the state and acting as the representative of these companies. Glavis employed Milton T. U'ren, private secretary to Representative Kent of California and B. Marshall at the same time placing both men upon the payroll of the state conservation commission as well.

Until today none of the proceedings of the governor's investigation had been made public, it was begun Dec. 1 and was to be resumed next week.

Government Files Suit.

San Francisco, Jan. 2.—The United States government filed suit in the United States district court today against Louis R. Glavis, resigned as secretary of his state conservation commission on Tuesday to collect \$322.86 said to have been withheld by Glavis of government said to have been given him when he was special agent for the department of the interior in the forestry service. It is charged that the money has been held since Dec. 18th, 1907.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

The Women's Foreign Missionary society of Murrayville M. E. church will meet this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. J. E. Osborne.

Hillier's discount sale begins tomorrow.

FELKNER ELECTED GOVERNOR BY NEW HAMPSHIRE LEGISLATURE

Convention Also Elects Four Democrats to Fill Vacancies in the Senate, Giving That Party a Majority in the Upper House.

Concord, N. H., Jan. 2.—The New Hampshire legislature, in joint convention today, elected as governor, Samuel Felkner, the Democratic candidate at the last election.

Fifteen Republicans abstained from voting. The joint legislation convention also filled four vacancies in the senate, electing four Democrats and giving that party a majority in the upper house.

The election of a governor was thrown into the legislature by the failure of Mr. Felkner, the leading candidate, to secure the necessary majority at the polls in November.

PHILADELPHIA STRIKE PROBABLE

Philadelphia, Jan. 2.—Representatives of garment workers' unions met today and adopted resolutions protesting against their employers' "assisting New York manufacturers by doing their work."

The workers declare that if the manufacturers persist in doing work for those against whom the strike is in progress in New York a strike will be called here.

CHICAGO ALDERMAN IS FREED FROM PROSECUTION

Judge Quashes Two Charges Against Al Tearney for Violating Saloon Closing Law.

Chicago, Jan. 2.—Al R. Tearney, president of the Three Eye League and member of Chicago's city council, was freed to day from prosecution on two charges of violating the saloon closing law made against him in the municipal court. Judge Courtney quashed the charges, after hearing argument by Tearney's counsel. Two more city prosecutions pending against him, have been set for hearing on January 14th.

The charges against Tearney dismissed to day were made by two reporters for a morning paper, who alleged that Tearney's saloon had been kept open after closing time two days last week. The newspaper men took flashlight photographs of Tearney's saloon at night and were roughly handled, afterward causing Tearney's arrest on charges of assault and battery, but these charges also were dismissed in court.

WILL ASSIST AT REID FUNERAL

Fon du Lac, Wis., Jan. 2.—In response to a telegram from the family of Whitelaw Reid, Rev. B. Talbot Rogers, warden of Grafton Hall left here today for New York to assist in the funeral services for the late ambassador.

FARMER HELPLESS IN TIME OF FIRE

No person who owns property is so utterly helpless as a farmer when his buildings are on fire, and except fighting many fires could be prevented or are at least preventable. First, every farm should be planned to be safe from fire by placing the buildings so far apart that one should not burn another if a fire occurs. No dwelling should be built so the owner or any one can not get into the attic in necessary and upon the roof. The modern fire-fighting apparatus should be at hand (the hand extinguishers and barrels of salt water with buckets used for no other purpose), and no one should be allowed to use matches about the barn, as to light the lantern or the smoker who, no difference how careful he is, is a constant menace with his use or misuse of matches.

BIRTH RECORD

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Tate, now of Middleton, Georgia, are the parents of a son. Mr. Tate was formerly manager of the white house cabinet in this city and is known to many.

NEW MEMBERS RECEIVED INTO MURRAYVILLE M. E. CHURCH

Many New Names Put Upon the Church Records and Denomination in Splendid Condition Under Pastorate of Rev. J. A. Biddle.

The Methodist Episcopal church at Murrayville is one of the five organizations of that denomination in Morgan county. The people are rejoicing because they have their new church building and the pastor Rev. J. A. Biddle and the people are working for the common good. Recently a number of new members have been taken into the church and others are being added each Sunday.

The following are those who have been received into full connection: J. Alonzo Bacon, W. O. Beadles, Roscoe B. Beadles, W. J. Bown, Elzie R. Bown, Mae Blakeman, Lydia Irene Biddle, Harry Cade, Mrs. Henry Cade, Russell Cook, Charles Harold Clark, J. H. Dial, Stella Daniel, J. L. Dunaway, Mrs. Minnie Dunaway, Charles Dunaway, Thelma Dunaway, Mrs. Harriett Harney, Edna Harney, Mary Harney, Gertrude Johnson, Reaugh Jennings, Alma Jennings, Mrs. Vernie Jones, Frank Kennedy, William R. Lovell, Charles Lovell, Mrs. Stella Lawson, M. M. Lumpkin, Mrs. M. M. Lumpkin, C. O. Lorton, Mrs. C. O. Lorton, J. P. Moore, Mrs. Ida Moore, Mabel Moore, Glen Moore, Guy Moore, Ruth Meller, Elva M. Osborne, Evert Pennell, Howard Pennell, Lucile Pennell, Lawrence Pennell, Albert Phillips, Oliver Phillips, Ora Perkins, W. B. Rimbey, Jesse Allen Rimbey, William Richards, Mabel Richards, Elmer Sooy, Charles Still, Fred R. Still, Floyd E. Short, Lucile Short, Samuel P. Story, Jacob Tendick, Cyrus N. Wright, Mrs. Ethel M. Wright, Charles Wright, Mrs. Nellie Walker.

The following have been received by letter: Mrs. Susan Martha Bown, Mrs. J. H. Dial, Mrs. William White, George Mellor, Mrs. George Mellor, Mrs. J. Alonzo Bacon, G. C. Scoggin, Mrs. G. C. Scoggin, S. F. Sooy, Mrs. S. F. Sooy, Grace Jennings, Mrs. Everett Pennell, Frank Ford, Mrs. Frank Ford, G. E. Grimmett, W. T. Cook, Mrs. W. T. Cook, Fred Simpson, Mrs. W. T. McKean and Mrs. Amelia Ash.

JAMES J. HILL MAKES NEW DISCOVERY IN SOIL FERTILITY

Experiments Show Astonishing Results Can Be Obtained in Oats and Barley Culture by New Chemical Soil Analysis.

St. Paul, Jan. 2.—Into the greenhouse of James J. Hill, in the rear of his residence, where the railroad man has been carrying on for the last two months an experiment expected to revolutionize agriculture, six men representing commercial and financial Minneapolis were guided to day to witness astonishing results in which, oats and barley culture, achieved by new chemical soil analysis and its practical application.

"Phosphorus has been found to be the great essential planted food, lacking in the soil of the Northwest. Mr. Hill has found the way, he told the Minneapolis men, to increase soil fertility.

"I believe," he said, "that we have found what to do, and we are going to do. We can, by the application of these methods, increase the production of grain in the Northwestern states to twice the quantity given in the figures of the department of agriculture for 1912 and this is true also of North Dakota.

PUBLIC SALE

3 miles northeast of Jacksonville, Tuesday Jan. 7, 1913. Horses, cows, heifers, calves, hogs, hay, straw, fodder, corn, oats, buggies, wagons implements etc.

F. L. Hairgrove.

MEREDOSIA REBEKAHS.

At a regular meeting of Meredosia Rebekah Lodge No. 151, I. O. O. F., the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Miss Katie Hyde, N. G.; Mrs. Minnie Dunn, V. G.; Mrs. Anna Taggart, recording and financial secretary and Miss Tena Kappel, treasurer.

JUSTICE COURTS.

Daniel Overstreet was fined \$3 and costs Thursday on a charge of drunkenness.

JACKSONVILLE TIME CARD.

Chicago & Alton.
North Bound—
Chicago Ltd., ex-Sun., ar. 11:15 am
Chicago Ltd., ex-Sun., dept. 2:45 pm
Chicago-Peoria Accom., thru
to Chicago 6:28 am
Peoria-Bloomington Acc. 5:23 pm
From St. Louis 9:10 am
Chicago "Red Hummer" 1:58 am

South and West Bound—
Kansas City Flyer 3:31 am
St. Louis Accom., daily 6:00 am
Kansas City-St. Louis local 9:40 am
St. Louis-Mexico Accom. 3:55 pm
Kansas City Express 10:40 pm

Wabash.
East Bound—
No. 72, local freight, ex-Sun 11:17 am
No. 50, Springfield Accom. 6:22 pm
No. 2, daily 8:23 pm
No. 28, daily 1:48 am
No. 4, daily 8:28 am

Nos. 2, 3, 4, 9, 15 and 28 will not stop at Jacksonville Junction.

West Bound—
No. 9, daily 2:02 pm
No. 73, loc. freight, ex-Sun. 2:25 pm
No. 3, daily 7:19 am
No. 15, daily 5:15 pm
No. 51, Hannibal Accom. 10:20 am

Burlington Route.
North Bound—
No. 47, daily, ex-Sunday, 11:22 am
No. 11, daily, ex-Sunday, 4:50 pm

South Bound—
No. 12, daily, ex-Sunday, 6:55 am
No. 43, daily, ex-Sunday, 2:08 pm

C. P. & St. L.
North Bound—
No. 26, daily 7:40 am
No. 38, daily 3:10 pm
No. 38, Sunday only 6:00 pm
Local freight 6:00 am

South Bound—
No. 37, daily 7:45 pm
No. 37, Sunday only 9:05 pm

The Great Teco Brand Flour

Self Rising Buck Wheat and Pan Cake

These flours contain buttermilk reduced to a powder and combined with malt. They require no milk in the mixing, but are made in a minute by adding a little water. The malt adds to the flavor of the pan cake and makes it more easily digestible. Large package 10c

In Making Boston Brown Bread

Thousands of women are now using the Teco Brand of Boston Bread Flour with great success. Order a package from this store TODAY. Popularly Priced at 10c

John Frank Grocer and Baker
Both Phones 297

DRAIN TILE

When it comes to QUALITY and PRICE on DRAIN TILE the product from the new plant (The White Hall Drain Tile Co.) satisfies every purchaser, and every purchaser becomes a "booster" for our Drain Tile.

If you do not have our prices from the new plant, same will be sent you on receipt of inquiry. A sample Dr. in Tile will also be sent on request.

Four to five cars of small sizes are manufactured at the new plant daily and about as much more of the large sizes at our large factory.

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White Hall Sewer Pipe & Stoneware Co.
White Hall, Illinois.
(Any one wanting an "A. P. Grout Vitrified Tile Silo" should file order with us without delay.)

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We will pipe an old house at \$1.25 per room, including connection with the main. If you are not at present burning gas, how can you well afford to be without it when you can have it installed in your home at so small a cost. We carry a complete line of fixtures, burners, heaters, stoves, etc. etc. Remember our service is a satisfactory service.

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ready to use at first sign of trouble the best corrective for any disorder of the organs of digestion. The earlier you seek relief the easier it will be to get it—and the more certain it will be that the trouble will not lead to something worse. It is universally admitted that

BEECHAM'S PILLS

are the safest preventive as well as the most reliable corrective of stomach, bowel, or liver troubles. They bring about regular, natural, healthful action. All through the body—in every organ, every nerve—in actions, vigor and spirits—you will feel the benefit of Beecham's Pills—and quickly, too. You will save yourself suffering if you have this matchless aid to health

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Massage with MUSTEROLE and notice how the pain lessens, and the delicious comfort that takes its place. Sufferers all over the country write us about this amazing, quick relief.

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At your druggist's in 25c and 50c jars, and a special large hospital size for \$2.50.

Accept no substitute. If your druggist cannot supply you, send 25c or 50c to the Musterole Company, Cleveland, Ohio, and we will mail you a jar, postage prepaid.

"Musterole is the first and only preparation of any kind that ever helped my weak lungs. Can truthfully say it is far superior to any other preparation of its kind."—Leo Hoag, Athens, Michigan.



WILL WELD ANY METAL

We have just installed a new welding plant, of the very latest pattern. The heat produced by this modern equipment is so intense that any metal melts under it. The addition of this apparatus makes it possible to do work in the machine shop of our garage which formerly was sent to the factory.

D. Estaque
MODERN GARAGE,
West Court St.

ALTON ROAD'S HEAD

TALKS OF PROSPECTS

President Worthington on Situation—Says Gross Earnings Will Increase in 1913, But Net Earnings Are Not So Flattering in Prospect.

President Worthington, of the Chicago & Alton road, has given out for a Chicago paper an interview on the general situation and prospects in the railway world, in which he says: "It is altogether probable that, barring unforeseen circumstances, the gross earnings of the railroads for the year 1913 will be the greatest in the history of the country. The situation, however, is not so assuring in respect to net earnings, for the unit cost of transportation is rapidly advancing and there is little, if any, hope for a higher rate of revenue per unit of service performed; in other words, whatever increase may be shown in the gross earnings for 1913 will be due to a greater volume of business transacted and not to an increase in revenue per unit of service."

Roads to Spend Money.
"As is well known, the capacity of the railroads during the last season has been taxed to the limit to handle the traffic offered. To take care of the anticipated increase in business in 1913, and at the same time to as far as possible reduce transportation costs, will mean the expenditure of large sums by the railroads—terminal facilities will have to be enlarged, additional freight equipment purchased and the existing freight equipment strengthened and rebuilt and heavier locomotives will have to be provided; heavier equipment necessarily demands better roadway—rails, ties, ballast, bridges, larger locomotive terminals and also new machinery to handle the new and heavier parts of locomotives and cars; wooden passenger cars will soon have to be relegated for steel and in consequence the car shops will have to be reequipped for making repairs to this class of equipment; further, with view of reducing transportation costs in many localities grade revisions and double track will doubtless be necessary."

Sees Danger in Over-Reduction.
"The restrictions placed upon the railroads in respect to advances in rates and the rapid and constant increase in operating expenses and taxes under state and federal supervision and regulation are bringing about conditions which sooner or later must seriously impair railroad credit. The railroads are so necessary to the welfare of the country as a whole and so vitally important to its industrial development that if their credit is destroyed, due to the present ill-advised policy of regulation and restriction, it will be long before the country will recover."

"The continuous agitation against any increase in rates—so necessary to the railroads to enable them to improve their facilities to keep up with the commercial and agricultural development of the country—has already impaired railroad credit to such an extent that instead of being able, as in former years, to finance their requirements by the sale of their bonds upon a reasonable basis, they are now obliged to meet the situation by the issuance of short term notes carrying a much higher rate of interest."

Prosperity Depends on Public.
"With the demand of the public upon the railroads for increased facilities, with no additional compensation to the railroads therefor, and with the present tendency of state and federal commissions to effect a reduction in the existing rates, it is hardly to be expected that capitalists will look with favor upon railroad financing, and unless some assurance can be given them of a reasonable return upon their investments in railroad securities the roads will be unable to secure funds to expand their facilities to meet the constantly increasing demands made upon them. To a large extent the interests of the railroads represent the interest of the general public, and upon the attitude of the public more than anything else will the future prosperity of the railroads depend."

RESOLUTION OF RESPECT.

The local Cigar Makers Union No. 114 have passed the following resolutions relative to the death of William Arbogast.

Whereas, we have learned of the sad death of our brother member, William Arbogast and,

Whereas, we, his associates and friends regard his death as an irreparable loss and,

Whereas, it is fitting that those who knew him best in life, shall express their deep distress at his sad death. Be it resolved:

Therefore that we, his associates and friends, write in solemn accord in the expression of our deep sympathy for his family and friends and the peace of mankind for this his sad and untimely death.

Signed (Committee) Cigar Makers Local Union No. 114.

YEAR FULL OF HOODOOS?

If there is such a thing as a hoodoo this is the year for it to work, or forever hold its peace.

To begin with, the number of the year ends with 13, which is terrible enough for any person with a vein of superstition in his veins. But this is not all as a glance at a 1913 calendar will prove.

The year contains fifty-two Fridays, one of which falls on the thirteenth of June. Of course there are twelve "thirteens," one in each month. Added to this are twelve "twenty-threes," or skip days, one of which falls on a Friday in May.

If there is any particular significance attached to the numbers "13" and "23," the three hundred and sixty-five days of the present year will be miserable ones for those who believe in the hoodoo numbers. In order to calm their fears they are advised to load their pockets with rabbit feet to protect themselves against the hoodoo.

Here's Where to Buy Clothes

We shall continue our Anniversary Sale of high grade clothing a few days longer in order to give those who have been too busy to call an opportunity they will appreciate. All we have to say is, please don't commit yourself to purchase a coat until you at least have looked at what we have to offer, bargains that you really will not find anywhere else outside the big cities.

<p>LOT NO. 1</p> <p>Women's Coats, nice black kerseys and blue cloths. Coats in this lot sold up to as high as \$5.95. Your choice of the entire showing of Lot No. 1</p> <p>\$3.98</p>		<p>Mens Hosiery now..... 8c</p> <p>Mens fine \$1 Shirts now..... 69c</p> <p>Mens' sateen 4-in-hand ties, 1/2 price</p> <p>Ladies' 15c Hose now..... 8c</p>
<p>LOT NO. 2</p> <p>In this lot you will find the popular chinchillas with the new wide collars and cuffs, button trimmed. Also caraculs with large collars and cuffs. Price tickets read as high as \$10.00. Choice at</p> <p>\$6.95</p>		<p>Mens' and young men's \$12 Suits or Overcoats here at..... \$4.98</p> <p>Mens' and young men's \$15 Suits or Overcoats, choice..... \$7.45</p> <p>Mens' and young men's \$20 Suits or Overcoats..... \$9.75</p> <p>Mens' and young men's \$25 high grade Suits and Overcoats... \$11.90</p> <p>Mens' \$30 hand tailored Suits and Overcoats now..... \$14.95</p>
<p>LOT NO. 3</p> <p>This lot includes the new one-piece cloth coats in browns, grays, navy and black and white stripes, wool plaid backs. The new large collars and wide cuffs are braided trimmed. These coats sold regularly at \$15.00 and \$20.00. Your choice of the entire lot at only</p> <p>\$9.95</p>		<p>Boston or Paris Garters now... 15c</p> <p>Mens' \$3.50 Fur Caps now... \$1.98</p> <p>Mens' 25c 4-in-hand neckwear 1c</p> <p>Mens' all wool Underwear..... 85c</p> <p>Mens' \$2 Union Suits now..... 98c</p>
<p>LOT NO. 4</p> <p>100 beautiful coats in this lot, shown in boucles, plaids and mixtures, also serges and caraculs of an excellent quality. Many of these coats have the attractive outside pockets. Some have velvet collars, others plaid collars. Genuine values that sold here at from \$25.00. The sale price is only \$13.50 and</p> <p>\$14.95</p>		

If It's Something to Wear, Don't Miss This Great Bargain Store

Illinois Stock Exchange

13 West Side Square, Jacksonville, Illinois.

TO PICK A WIFE.

Former Freeport Pastor, in Chicago sermon, Tells How To Do It.

The Chicago Tribune contained an interesting notice of a sermon by a former pastor of Embury church, Freeport, it follows:

Rev. E. E. McKay, pastor of Divisary Boulevard Methodist church, figuratively took marriageable young of his flock on his knee and to a sermon disguised as "A Message for Mothers," gave them inside information on how to pick a wife.

"Accept John D. Rockefeller's tip to pick out your mother-in-law first if you wish a good wife," he declared. "An up to date breeder always pays more attention to the dam than to the sire and if young men would use as much good sense in studying their prospective mother-in-law mistakes inexcusable would be avoided, business for divorce courts lessened and thousands of homes made happier."

Tells How to Judge.

Rev. Mr. McKay eulogized mothers before dissecting their shortcomings.

In part he said:

"It was left to a major prophet to write that each mother was but an enlarged photograph of her daughter; that if mother was fat and flourishing at 40, or cross and crabbed at 50, with few exceptions Mary, Jane, Ruth or Emma, her daughters, would be just like her."

"Mothers are living pictures in the albums of the years announcing just what time will do for their daughters."

"Find me a mother whose house has no order—the rolling pin in the music rack, the satin sofa pillow in the coal box; who never combs her hair until she 'goes out,' and who looks like a fright until somebody comes—if the text is true, her daughter will keep home in the same manner."

Good Mother, Good Daughter.

"Find me a mother who will turn her baby over to a nurse and let a silken poodle lead her to a downtown club; who will go to sleep at night with a dime novel under her pillow and a 15 cent head on the top of it—I say nothing but the grace of God can keep the daughter from doing just the same as the mother. 'But show me a mother who is kind of heart, decisive of will, Christian in character, a good housekeeper, whose daily orders are that 'dirt, debt and the devil' cannot enter her home who can play as elegantly on the cook stove as she can on the piano—in short, a mother given to industry, self sacrifice and consecration and the reproduction of such a mother is easily seen in the daughter."

POLICE NEWS.

In the police news published in the Journal Tuesday it was stated that Douglas Norton, who was arrested at the request of Springfield police, was wanted on a murder charge. Friends of Norton state that he is not wanted for a murder charge but for some lesser offense.

NOTES FROM LABOR WORLD

Pittsburg is to have a working girls' home.

A \$100,000 labor temple is proposed at Akron, Ohio.

Twenty-seven states enforce sanitary regulations in factories.

The blind telephone girl has been tried and proved a success in Baltimore.

The Brass Foundry Workers' association has fused with the International Molders' union.

The Canadian federal immigration department will send lecturers to England next year.

Meridian, Miss., unions are advocating the establishment of a local tuberculosis camp and hospital.

The National Civic Federation has organized a national department on industrial mediation laws.

Minneapolis Trade and Labor Council is making arrangements for a campaign for the demand of the union label.

Bangor, Me., Railway and Electric company has just conceded an increase, which approximates two cents an hour.

A permanent exhibit of devices and means to prevent accidents to workmen has been opened at Copenhagen, Denmark.

There will be 22 members of farmers' and trade unions holding seats in the next session of the Colorado legislature.

A minimum wage of 25s (\$4.08) a week for all able bodied men will henceforth rule in the municipal service in Glasgow, Scotland.

There is a well defined plan to install women as drivers of taxicabs and other power driven vehicles on the streets of the largest cities of England.

Street sweepers of New York city have petitioned to have their wages increased from \$780 a year to \$920. Extra pay for Sunday work is also asked.

At Toledo Ohio, 28 Hungarian women recently took the places of the striking core makers in the plant of the National Malleable Castings company.

Journeymen barbers are engaged in an active campaign to clean up unsanitary barber shops and to organize the seven thousand barbers in Chicago.

Linotype machine operators of Paris threaten to go on a general strike unless a scale of nine hours for a day's work and 8 francs (\$1.50) compensation is granted.

The Plumbers' and Steamfitters' international union has increased its membership by about six thousand within a year. The total membership is now about thirty thousand.

"The only organization of its kind in the world" is what its official card claims for Iswich "Clam Diggers" union, 14,233, American Federation of Labor. The union has just been formed.

Hillien's discount sale begins tomorrow.

HORSE BRINGS \$3,000.

Pacing Stallion, Eddie Foy, Sold By Jerseyville Owner to Eastern Man
William P. Bowler of Jerseyville, sold his young pacing stallion, Eddie Foy, trot heat in 2:09, last half in 1:01, to E. D. Hollenback of Lynn Brook, L. I. The horse was shipped by express. Mr. Bowler also sold a weanling colt this week to E. L. Bowler of Itawa, Kan., for \$150.

WILL TEACH VIOLIN IN WELLS COLLEGE

Miss Hazel Brown, who has been an instructor in violin in Galloway college, Searcy, Arkansas, has secured a position in Wells college, Aurora, New York. Miss Louise Love, who is visiting with Miss Brown in a teacher in Wells college and she will return in a few days. Miss Brown will not go for two weeks. The position held by Miss Brown in Galloway college will be filled by Miss Clara Moore of this city.

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MEREDOSIA ENCAMPMENT.

Dania encampment, I. O. O. F. No. 166, elected the following officers: Thomas Dudgeon, chief patriarch; W. T. Hedenberg, high priest; Frank Taggart, senior warden; Royal Kratz, junior warden; C. W. McLain, scribe and Wm. H. Ayers, treasurer.

INAUGURATION DAY IN IOWA.

Des Moines, Iowa, Jan. 2.—Geo. W. Clarke of Adel, who was elected governor of Iowa last November, and the others chosen to the several state offices at that time, were inaugurated today with the usual ceremonies.

CHANGE OF BUSINESS.

Clyde Knapp who has been conducting a grocery on the corner of Prairie and West College streets has traded his stock for city property, Lloyd Snerly of Decatur being the purchaser. The store is now closed for invoicing and will be opened Saturday as announced by notice on the windows.

APPOINTED DEWITT BUCHANAN MEMBER OF MINING BOARD.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 2.—Governor Deneen today appointed DeWitt W. Buchanan of Chicago a member of the Illinois mining board. Some time ago Governor Deneen named G. W. Traer of Chicago to the same position but he declined the appointment.

FAIL TO SETTLE STRIKE.

New York, Jan. 2.—Efforts to settle the Garment Workers' strike today failed. The various agencies working for peace did not even find a basis upon which they thought manufacturers and employes might agree.

The only disorder during the day occurred in a shop on Broadway, where three Garment Workers were arrested for attempting to call out the employes.

Keeping Down The Cost

The best way to keep down Fuel cost is to buy the right coal. We learned the facts about coal quality from many mines before we placed our orders. We wanted the best Illinois coal and we have it for you. Big, lumpy, clean, Carterville and Springfield coal at the prevailing prices.

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AN EXPERT FARMER.

The department of agriculture of Washington, D. C., has notified B. F. Harris, chairman of the Champaign Chamber of Commerce committee, that \$1,200 a year had been set aside for the employment of an expert farmer for Champaign county. The remainder of the salary of \$3,600 will be made up by farmers and business men.

RECEIVED BOX OF FRUIT.

Rev.elly who has been ill at his home on East Michigan avenue for the past five months has received a fine box of fruit from his sisters Mrs. Ingram and Mrs. John Cassell of Los Angeles, Cal.

AMERICAN WIRE FENCE.

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SUICIDE MAKES THREE ATTEMPTS

DISAPPOINTED IN LOVE HE
BLOWS HIS HEAD OFF.

Dynamite Cartridge on Breast Merely
Burns—Still Able to Walk After
Stabbing—Cartridge in Mouth at
Last Ends His Misery.

Epernay, France, Jan. 2.—A New Year's suicide of an extraordinary character was committed here last night by Gaetan Valencin, a workman aged 26, who had been disappointed in love.

Valencin first placed a dynamite cartridge on his breast and caused it to explode. He was burned but not mortally hurt. He then stabbed himself twice over the heart. He was still able to walk, and remarked to some neighbors who had rushed in:

"I have started to kill myself and now I am going to finish it."

He thereupon placed another dynamite cartridge in his mouth, lighted the fuse and waited for the explosion which tore his head into fragments.

Hillierby's discount sale begins tomorrow.

LIKE WINTER 40 YEARS AGO.

Joseph Bird and Atison Bates were discussing the open winter the other day and it reminded them of the dry winter of 1872, forty years ago. William Bates, or "Uncle Billy" as he was called, the father of the latter, was feeding that winter 105 head of cattle and water was so scarce, these cattle went without any for six weeks. Mr. Bird said he would not have believed cattle could have survived that long if he had no gone, to see them himself. The same year Mr. Bird says he drove his cattle a distance of a mile and a quarter every tray and hauled water from the same creek for his hogs. About the middle of February a wet snow commenced falling, which turned to rain. This was the breaking up of the long winter drouth—Carlinville Enquirer.

WILLIAMS FOR WEST POINT.

Congressman-elect W. E. Williams of this district has appointed his nephew, Burke Williams of Pittsfield to the West Point military academy. The young man is a son of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Williams and is at present a member of the graduating class of the Pittsfield high school. He will give up his school, however, and go away and take a preparatory course before taking the West Point examination next June. The enlistment is for eight years, four of which will be passed at West Point and four in the regular military service. Mr. Williams also has the appointment of two alternates for this place and will be glad to receive applications to take the examination.

THE WELFARE OF THE CITY.

This year every citizen should take a deep interest in the welfare of the city. If you sincerely believe that conditions are prevalent that need changing, don't be afraid to start something. This year the very best effort that is in every citizen should assert itself to the end that Jacksonville's advancement is sure and safe. The fellow who kicks is often the man that does the community a real service. There is a difference between a grouch and a good healthy kicker.

UNIQUE WILL IS FILED.

J. T. Murdock Won't Leave Money to Liquor or Tobacco User, Requiring Affidavits.

Streator, Ill., Jan. 2.—One of the most unique wills ever probated in LaSalle county is that of the late J. T. Murdock, a lawyer of this city and a brother of Dr. E. P. Murdock of Chicago.

The document sets forth in one clause that he had been acquiring property for the improvement of mind and not for the debasement of the bodies of those who may come into possession of the same, and then provides "that no one who shall use tobacco or intoxicating liquors as a beverage shall have any share in the property or income thereon."

It is required that the beneficiaries furnish affidavit and other proof to the court that for a period of two years prior to the filing of the affidavit the provisions of the clause have not been violated.

If at any time after the division of the decedent's property a beneficiary is charged with ignoring the tobacco and liquor clause, the court is authorized to take jurisdiction of the cause and head evidence.

GOING EAST AND WEST.

Miss Emily Ainslie Moore left Thursday afternoon for St. Louis, and thence to Blackstone Va., where she will resume her work as vocal teacher in the distastute there.

Miss Clara Catherine Moore also went to St. Louis, to go from there to Searcy, Ark. There she has accepted a fine offer to teach the violin for the rest of the school year in Galloway Colleg. That institution is equipped to secure a teacher so well equipped in all respects as Miss Moore.

CORN EXHIBIT.

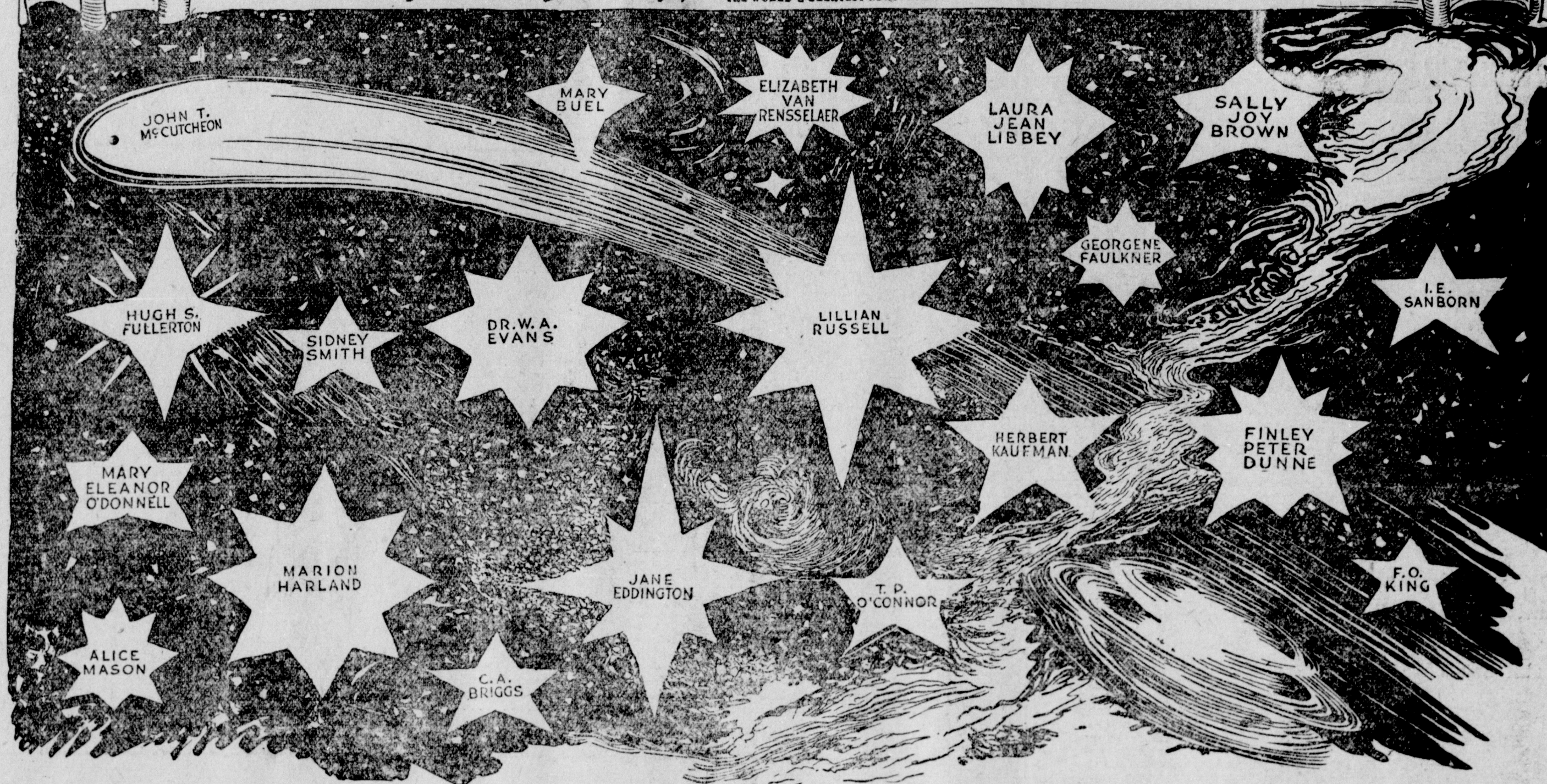
Important Rule Governing Exhibits at National Exposition.

In connection with the above mentioned convention there will be held the Illinois state corn show. Every person attending is requested to bring at least one ten-ear exhibit of his corn; and each exhibitor will be allowed to make one entry only in each class and no exhibit can be entered in more than one class.

Those who are planning to exhibit at the fifth national corn exposition in Columbia, S. C., Jan. 27 to Feb. 8, 1913, should note well that according to the rules of that exposition, exhibitors that come from state shows only, will be received except in those states where there is no state organization.

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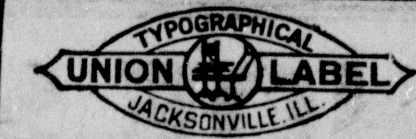
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OPENING OF NEW YEAR'S BUSINESS IS STRONG.

New Year Brings Increased Activity. Broader Market and Pronounced Strength—Issues Generally Show Gain.

(By Associated Press.)
New York, Jan. 2.—The opening of the New Year on the stock exchange brought with it increasing activity, a broader market and pronounced strength. While the day's total transactions were not large they represented an increase and in the first hour as much business was done as on some entire days recently.

Not only the standard railway and industrial issues but many of the less prominent shares rose, gains ranging from 1 to 6 points. Southern Pacific was the exception among the leading issues. This stock was under pressure steadily and fell back a point. Western Maryland also was weak, losing 2½. London bought stocks moderately in this market, and there was some buying on direct orders from the continent. The easier tendency of call money played a part in shaping speculative sentiment. Foreign exchange rates stiffened sharply, demand raising more than 10 points. Predictions of an advancing market for foreign exchange were based upon expectations that money conditions would become more favorable with the passing of the year-end period. It was pointed out that although call money might relax further there were less likelihood of easier rates for time account of the enormous demands for new capital abroad and for readjustment of railway and corporate accounts in this country. Show monetary conditions warrant such action financing for corporations, some of which will soon become imperative by reason of maturing short term issues, will doubtless be underwritten on a large scale.

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New York, Jan. 2.—Wheat—Spot barely steady; No. 2 red, \$1.07 nominal elevator and \$1.08 f. o. b. adroit; No. 1 northern Duluth, 98c f. o. b. adroit. Future market was firmer, closing ½c net lower. May, 97-7-16 @97½c; closed, 97-7-16; July closed, 97½c. Receipts, 125,000; shipments, 112,000.

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ANOTHER LETTER FROM REV. MELVILLE KENNEDY.

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The Journal is permitted this morning to print another interesting letter from Rev. Melville Kennedy; this time number five.

Carlton Hotel, Edinburgh, Oct. 17th, 1912.

Dear Mother and All:

We are in Scotland as you see, having arrived this afternoon about 1:30. There is so much to write about that when I get under way it is hard to stop. Even so, I realize I do not tell half the interesting things, sights, sounds, impressions that I should like to.

The subject of hotels, for instance, would be sufficient for several pages. They differ in many respects from our American hotels and one has to learn by experience the points of contrast. We have had experience with a curious variety in just our short time traveling. Last night we were in luxury (at York) for the great railway hotels over here are the finest. In the United States, quite the contrary is usually the case. We were doing York in a hurry and the station hotel was the easiest and most convenient. We found, too, that one can't get the range of hotel service here that is possible in the U. S. I mean by that good service is quiet, small and unpretentious surroundings, as is possible often there. Here, if you do not go to the first class places, that is the best in a town, you won't get good service. And with a baby along an English second rate hotel is not a very good place. We had a poor sort of place in Cambridge and once at Leamington, and have decided that we will simply have to stand the expense and get the best.

Another ever present feature of the hotels here and in all relations as a traveler, is the feeling. To a new-comer it is perplexing to know when and how to tip. Really it seems as though you have to hand out money at every turn you make. So much so, that a natural mistake is made, I think, in tipping when it isn't necessary. Fortunately ordinary tips are smaller here. A few big coppers, 2 or 3 (pence or thrille) is sufficient for the railroad porter, which is only 4 or 6c. That seems a niggardly tip to one an American and we are apt to give too much. The porter is indispensable. You don't check baggage here, but have it put on the little baggage car and see that it gets off and take it right along with you. The porter does it all gathers up your hand baggage, runs for your trunk, and wheels them along to your cab or hotel. It is certainly a great saving of time over the U. S. system for there is no bother of checking and rechecking and waiting for your trunks. In our quick trips you can see how convenient it has been. A porter meets us as we arrive at the station, takes all our stuff, trunk and hand bags, on his truck, and deposits the trunk in the baggage car and your luggage in your compartment. On arriving, the same process is gone through, reversed and you are off and away with no delay whatever. There are enough porters everywhere to supply all needs. All that you need do is to see that he gets your trunk on and off. To an Englishman, traveling in the U. S., the numerous baggage delays in passing through official hands must be extremely annoying.

Another pleasant feature here is the low rate for taxis and cabs. Legal fares are established. One morning in London, Myra and I took a taxi for a quick run of a mile or so and paid only "one and four" i. e. about 32c. In New York it would have been \$1.50, I presume or more.

In hotels, the head waiter brings you your bill, even when you stand at the office desk, and the custom is to give him a gratuity. To us there

is no sense or reason in such a thing. Baedeker's Guide has been indispensable to us. I don't see how anyone can travel without it, at first, anyway.

We had a pleasant ride up from York yesterday, some four hours, through interesting country, part of the time following the east coast of England and Scotland. We caught good glimpses of Ely and Lincoln cathedrals (no, that was on the previous day) and found the country scenes constantly interesting.

Luncheon and dinners here en route are cheaper slightly than at home, 60c and 75c, and very good. Before leaving York at 9:43, we got out right after breakfast and went all round the great cathedral again, and inside. It was truly magnificent in its immensity. I will send the best picture of it, showing one end only.

On reaching Edinburgh, I found the hotel I had written to for rooms was not satisfactory, so consumed several hours in effecting a change. The Thackeray at London is a temperance hotel and very comfortable, so I thought the best temperance hotel in Edinburgh would be good. But it wasn't very attractive, stuffy and smelly. We are very comfortably situated now overlooking the great ravine on both sides of which Edinburgh is built. We took trolley rides last night and then this morning, after a necessary delay with inoculation, we climbed up to the great castle and stayed till 1 p. m. How I wish you could see this. It is built on a great craggy rock, towering over the city like a giant, so that from the parapets you can look downward on the city for hundreds of feet.

October 19.

You know how romantic is its history, connected with Wallace, Mary and the Scotch struggles against the English. We saw the chamber where Mary was imprisoned and where her son James I. was born. In the old Stoddard lectures we used to have on Grove street (Jacksonville), it seems to me there were fine pictures of these Edinburgh scenes. Have you those books now? The castle is now used as barracks and the card I enclose shows the kilnites at drill. From the walls a beautiful view is had in every direction for miles. It is one of the most striking scenes imaginable.

In the afternoon I tried to get in touch with some of the student Y. M. leaders and finally hunted up the traveling secretary for the Scottish Legation. He had just returned from a trip, however, and was at "tea" so I did not have much of a talk with him. The English secretary to whom Mr. Mott wrote for letters of introduction on my behalf I have failed to see and for some reason no letters have materialized. I tried to find him in London but he had gone to Wales. So I have to hunt up people here, if I want to meet any of the leaders. In so short a time it isn't very easy.

Today, I went to Glasgow, taking a 9 a. m. train. It is only an hour's run, so it gave me the day time there. Unfortunately, it rained most of the time making it quite disagreeable in getting around. I saw the university, the art gallery, cathedral and the busy region along the Clyde and came home at 5 p. m. The noticeable prevalence of poor people has struck us forcibly in the two cities. In Glasgow, a great industrial center, it seemed worse than here. Everywhere you see them, shabby, hard featured, miserable looking. There must be a great amount of poverty and destitution here, with a terrible drink problem. Little children everywhere run barefooted in the cold and wet, on these streets that seem to us very cold, raw and blustery. I think I never saw a harder looking lot of people than I saw today in a poor quarter; evidently the Scotch, when they do get tough and sullen, make a bad situation to deal with.

The speech everywhere is very thick and burry, almost impossible to understand. It isn't the dialect of McClaren's stories, but rather the accent with which they speak the English. The common mass chop their words in such a peculiar way.

This has been a dark, wet, Sunday. We went this morning to St. George's to hear old Dr. Whyte but he was disappointed in not finding him. This

afternoon we heard the bishop of London address the university students in St. Giles, a fine sermon.

We do not like Scotland in wet weather. Edinburgh is a gloomy place then; there is no variety in the buildings at all, everything heavy gray stone, that gives a cold, forbidding, gloomy aspect to the streets on a dark day. No wood is used in England or Scotland for houses whatever, all stone here and brick in England. And they lack the yards and lawns of a place like Jacksonville. Most all houses are built next to each other as in New York.

Don't know that I can send all this. Love to all and constant remembrance.

Melville.

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Bar White Phosphorus Matches. Washington, Jan. 2.—The importation of matches containing white phosphorus will be forbidden from now on. This is the first provision of the "phossy law" bill passed at the last session of congress to become operative. Hereafter all matches imported from abroad must be accompanied by a certificate of inspection by the government of the country where they are made, stating that they contain no white phosphorus. At the request of the diplomatic representatives of Norway and Sweden, this official inspection certificate will not be required until April 1 next, to enable this government to establish the required inspection service. The exportation of white phosphorus matches will be prohibited after Jan. 1, 1914, and one year later on Jan. 1, 1915, an internal revenue tax of 2 cents will be imposed upon all white phosphorus matches.

HELD INSTALLATION.

Gill lodge No. 382, A. F. & A. M. of Lynville have installed the following officers for the ensuing year. J. E. Lazenby—W. M. W. S. Frost—S. W. H. S. Gordon—J. W. E. R. Heaton—Treasurer. T. R. Dodsworth—Secretary. Dr. H. A. Haskell—S. D. E. B. Chrissman—J. D. E. M. Chrissman—S. S. A. R. Sturdy—J. S. S. F. Angelo—Tyler.

RAILROAD COALING STATION AT ROODHOUSE DESTROYED.

The large coaling station belonging to the Chicago & Alton Railroad at Roodhouse was totally destroyed by fire Wednesday night. The origin of the fire has not been learned being first discovered at 11:45 in the extreme top of the structure. The loss will figure \$15,000.

CIRCUIT COURT NEWS.

Common Law. G. W. Bradley vs. B. S. Thomas. Scire facias to revive judgment. Default of defendant and judgment of revivor.

Chancery.

Hattie M. Pullham vs. Charlotte B. Dew et al. Partition. Report of commissioners approved and decree of sale.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Lucy F. Woolfey to James E. Osborne, warranty deed, s 1-2 nw 1-4 and n 1-2 sw 1-4, section 33, township 13, range 10; \$19,110. Manuel Goveia by administrator to Lewis W. Baptist, administrator's deed, part lot 3 King Dayton addition Jacksonville; \$1580.

OFFICERS FOR NEW YEAR.

Baptist Church Hold Annual Business Meeting Last Night.

Officers for the ensuing year were chosen at a meeting held at the First Baptist church Wednesday evening, Rev. W. L. Dorgan acting in the capacity of chairman and George Busey secretary. Various reports were heard and every department of the church is in splendid condition. Charles H. Weber was chosen to succeed Dr. G. H. Kopperl, who has been the efficient superintendent of the Sunday school for the past eight years.

The officers and committees follow:

Treasurer—R. C. Reynolds. Assistant treasurer—A. B. Williamson. Trustee—George J. Hocking. Clerk—George H. Busey. Chief usher—L. B. Turner. Finance committee—Jerry Cox, chairman.

Music committee—Luther Smith, chairman; Mrs. J. P. Brown, Miss Carrie Spire. Committee on church benevolence—Miss Elizabeth Williamson, foreign missions; Mrs. R. C. Henley, ministerial education; Mrs. George J. Hocking, aged ministers' home; Mrs. Jerry Cox, Baptist Publication society; Mrs. Alexander Rabjohn, state missions; Mrs. I. C. Coleman, home missions.

Baptismal committee—Miss Elizabeth Williamson, Mrs. Joseph Shreve, Mrs. George Stoldt, Mrs. James Stout and Mrs. W. T. Spire.

Superintendent of Sunday school—Carl H. Weber.

Assistant superintendents—Dr. G. H. Kopperl, Prof. Tanner, G. W. Gard, W. C. Springgate.

Secretary—George H. Busey. Assistant secretary—George J. Hocking.

Treasurer—J. W. Chipchase.

Superintendent of junior department—Miss Nettie A. Hayden.

Superintendent of primary department—Miss Mabel Withee.

Superintendent of Beginners' department—Mrs. Gertrude Richardson.

Advisory board—J. T. Ellis J. B. Williamson, R. C. Henley, Prof. Tanner, J. K. Long, Joseph Smith, Alexander Rabjohn.

Superintendent chapel Sunday school—J. A. McGlothlin.

Mission board—E. O. Mayer, Dr. T. O. Hardesty.

Trustee of Passavant hospital—A. B. Williamson.

BIDS FOR PRINTING.

Sealed bids will be received by the city council at the city clerk's office up to noon Monday, January 13, 1913, for all of the legal printing required by the city of Jacksonville. Contract to be made from January 13, 1913, to close fiscal year, January 1, 1914. Bids to be made on flat rate and by inch rate. Bids to be made in accordance with paragraphs 54, 1-2, An Act to Amend an Act entitled, "An act to provide for the incorporation of cities and villages, approved April 10, 1872, in force July 1, 1872, and all acts amendatory thereto by adding thereto a certificate."

A certified check of 10 per cent of the total amount of the bid must accompany same, that the successful bidder will carry out the terms of the contract. The council reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Chas. K. Knollenberg, Commissioner of Accounts and Finance.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

The missionary society of Central Christian church will meet in the parlors of the church Friday, Jan. 3, at 2:30. Division 10 will superintend the meeting. Miss Mildred Powell will be leader. All ladies of the church invited.

LEFT FOR SOUTH.

Mrs. Geo. W. Brown left Thursday afternoon for the vicinity of Asheville, N. C. Mrs. Brown was accompanied by her daughter, Miss Clara W. Brown. The ladies expect to pass the rest of the winter in that "land of the sky."

ATTENDED HOUSE PARTY.

Misses Stella Huff, Lena Hopper and Claribel Hopper have returned home after attending a house party in Pawnee, Ill.

THE AYERS NATIONAL BANK

The Magnificent New Building is Now Occupied and the Forces at Work.

The Ayers National bank is now domiciled in the superb new quarters and already clerks and officials are beginning to feel at home. All day long there was a stream of visitors and all were politely received and escorted about the fine, new structure which has been erected at so great cost and which is so admirably adapted to the intended purpose of a bank. Detailed description is not in order at the present time as the new building has been fully explained already in the Journal.

All callers were loud in their expressions of admiration and the officials were certainly pleased with the words of praise uttered.

The various positions of the tellers and officers were carefully inspected and then down stairs every one went to look at the immense vaults and storage room for valuables. The ponderous door with its time locks seemed like a giant defying the skill and strength of the safe-blower and it is earnestly hoped that it will never be molested by any one of that fraternity. The rooms for consultation were visited by every one and there on a table for the use of persons, whether patrons or not, were daily papers, telephones and a welcome with conveniences for special, private conference.

The bank is the first one here to establish an exclusively ladies' window and the idea met with unexpected favor the first day of the bank in its new quarters. It was indeed remarkable to see how much the innovation was appreciated by the fair sex who kept the teller at that place quite busy during the day and a goodly number of new accounts were opened.

The cigar stand is in good hands in the management of young Joseph Johnson who deals out the goods with a smile, setting everyone at ease and making them wish for more. The elevator is in waiting to take any one to any story of the building.

Many tokens of good will were manifested during the day in addition to the words said. The Clover Leaf Casualty company sent a fine bouquet of red roses; Messrs. Andre & Andre sent a bouquet of pink carnations; Miss Della Heint and brother sent a bouquet of white carnations; Messrs. F. G. Farrell & Co. sent a bouquet of pink carnations and the Hoffman Floral Co. sent a beautiful potted white lily in full bloom.

The opening day for the concern was wholly auspicious.



Leading tenor of the Alborn Opera Co., in "The Bohemian Girl" at the Grand Opera House on Wednesday eve, Jan. 8.

QUARANTINE RAISED.

After a siege of five weeks the quarantine against the home of Jos. Capps on North Church street has been duly raised whereat the family and friends are much pleased. Uncle George Tandy, Mrs. Capps' father, says it is rather tough to shut up a man for five weeks, when he has done nothing wrong though he does admit they fed him very well. The invalid who was the cause of the quarantine is all right.

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\$2.50 Ladies dress skirts, this season's newest models, all wool formerly sold for \$4.50, \$5.00, \$6.50 and \$7.50. Your choice now for \$2.50. First floor.
89c Wool Dress goods, this season's newest materials, 49 to 50 inches wide that formerly sold for \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50. Put together in lots for this sale. 59c
40c Ladies fine fleeced bleached vests or pants. An excellent value for 50c. Inventory price . . . 40c
19c Ladies vests or pants. Regularly sold for 25c
40c Men's heavy fleeced shirts and drawers, formerly sold for 50c. Inventory price . . . 40c

Muslin at Inventory Sale Prices. See Our Front Window

11 1-2c yard wide bleached muslin, 1 popular brand for this sale reduced to 9c
10c yard wide soft finished bleached muslin. . . 1-3c
6 1-2c yard wide soft finished unbleached muslin—5c
27c 9-4 bleached sheeting for this sale . . . 22 1-2c
16c, for 42 inch bleached linen finished tuba something entirely new, a great improvement over the old finish, you should try it.

Coats! Coats! At Half Price

To make this inventory sale more interesting we have decided to make half price on ladies' and misses' Coats. This is an opportunity that you cannot afford to miss. Coats of the very latest models and materials at half.

Watch this paper from day to day until Saturday, Jan. 11th. This sale is going to mean much to you.

Floreth's Dry Goods Store

WILL PREFER IMPEACHMENT CHARGES AGAINST JUDGE

Charges Will Be Preferred Against Federal Judge Pollock of Kansas City Regarding Recent Court Order.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 1.—The city commissioners of Kansas City, Kan., today adopted a motion calling for the appointment of a committee to prefer impeachment charges against Federal Judge John C. Pollock for making an order last Monday permitting the Kansas Natural Gas company to increase the wholesale price of natural gas in Kansas City to 31 cents a thousand cubic feet.

The charges are to be sent to Congressman Joseph Taggart at Washington with a request that they be laid before the house of representatives.

The council tonight adopted a resolution asking congress to investigate the conduct of Judge Pollock and Federal Judge A. S. VanValenburgh in their judicial attitude toward the gas companies. Following Judge Pollock's order permitting the natural gas company to increase the price of gas, Judge VanValenburgh appointed receivers for the gas companies which supplies gas to the consumers of this city. Before the resolution was adopted by the council Mayor Jost in a speech bitterly attacked the two federal judges.

MORTUARY

Moeller.

The sad news of the death of Mrs. George E. Moeller of Decatur was received yesterday by her relatives in this city. She passed away at her home at an early hour Thursday morning.

Her maiden name was Laura A. Ayers and she was the youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Ayers of this city. She was born April 1, 1866 and grew to a beautiful young womanhood in the place of her birth. She was a graduate of the Young Ladies' Athenaeum and was endowed with many rare qualities of mind and spirit. She was a favorite in society and by her kind gentle and unassuming ways she won a host of friends wherever she was known.

She was married to George E. Moeller of Decatur April 23, 1877 and has since that time lived in the capital of Macon county. Her husband is vice-president of the Decatur Casket company and is a gentleman of much prominence where he lives, successful in business and greatly respected. Mrs. Moeller was active in church work and was a valued member of Dr. Penhallagon's church in which she was ever ready to do her full part and more. In her family she was sweet and lovable wife and mother devoted to her dear ones yet not forgetful of what she owed the church and society. She was valued as a neighbor and friend by all who knew her.

She is survived by her husband, one daughter, Helen Adela and two sons, George A. Moeller Jr. and Sidney; also three brothers, John A. and Walter of this city and Dr. Edward Ayers of Branchfield New Jersey; two sisters, Mrs. Helen Bullard of this city and Mrs. Effie Kaime whose home is in Denver though she has been sojourning for some time at Plymouth Rock, Mass.

The funeral will be held at 2:30 Saturday at Decatur.

Maui.

Funeral services for Mrs. Elizabeth Maul were held Thursday morning at 10 o'clock at the late residence, 815 North Main street, in the presence of a large number of relatives and friends. The services were in charge of Rev. Mr. Gish, pastor of the Litchberry Christian church.

Music was furnished by a quartet from the Litchberry Christian church composed of Mrs. Albert Crum, Mrs. William Crum, Luther Cooper and John Hitchens, and the flowers were in charge of Miss Josie Cully Mrs. D. E. Kennedy and Mrs. John Day.

Interment was made in the Arcadia cemetery and the bearers were Harry Cully, Charles Cully, Henry Devine, Edward Yeck, John Yeck and Ora Valentine.

Megowan.

The funeral of Joseph S. Megowan was held at the residence of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph S. Megowan, Sr., 933 South Clay avenue Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock in charge of Rev. Clyde Darsie, pastor of Central Christian church. Music was furnished by a quartet composed of Mrs. James Campbell, Miss Cora Graham, Rev. Mr. Darsie and Davis Martin, and the flowers were in charge of Mrs. J. R. Watt, Mrs. Shepard and Miss May.

Interment was made in the Jacksonville cemetery and the bearers were Irvin and Lee Biggs, William Tobin, John McNamara, J. Cruse and Harry Cruse. Mrs. John F. Rafferty of New York City, a sister of the deceased, was here to attend the services.

Christison.

James Mahon Christison, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Hardin Christison who reside two miles east of Sinclair, died at the family residence Wednesday night at 9 o'clock, aged two weeks and three days. He is survived by his parents, two sisters Mabel and Effie and one brother, LeRoy. Funeral services will be held to day.

Brace.

Mrs. Catherine Brace, died recently at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Richard G. Fain in Carrollton, death being due to a stroke of paralysis. Her maiden name was Catherine Black, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Black. She was born June 20, 1832 and was married Jan. 25, 1855 to Curtis Brace, who died several years ago. She is survived by one daughter.

Jacinto.

John Jacinto, residing one and three-quarters of a mile northeast of Jacksonville died Thursday evening at 7:10 o'clock. He had been ill for a long time with catarrh of the stomach and death was not altogether unexpected.

He was born in Springfield March 5, 1852 and was brought to this city by his parents when only nine months of age. He was married 35 years ago to Nellie Vieira. Mr. Jacinto was a man well respected in the community, having many friends. He was a member of Northminster church.

He is survived by his wife, one son John J. Jacinto and two daughters, Mrs. Frank Day and Mrs. Marcellus Kennedy, of Jacksonville also three sisters, Mrs. Emmanuel Nunes of Jacksonville and one sister in St. Louis and one sister in Carrollton.

The funeral services will be conducted Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the family residence and interment will be made in Jacksonville cemetery.

WOULD START TEXAS COLONY.

Salt Lake City, Utah, Jan. 2.—A committee representing the Mormon refugees who were driven from their homes in Mexico at the outbreak of the present revolution applied to the first presidency of the Mormon church to day for financial assistance in establishing a Mormon colony in Texas. The plan is to secure a tract of 6,500 acres of land in the Texas Valley 200 miles east of El Paso.

The church officers have declined to say whether they would assist the refugees in their plan.

MEXICAN COUNCIL VOTES LOAN.

Pointe-a-Pitre, Gaudaloupe, Jan. 2.—The general council has voted a loan of \$700,000. This sum will be spent in improvements on the port in connection with the opening of the Panama canal.

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The money talks. Nothing is reserved. There's just four days, beginning at 9 a. m. on Saturday. It's a cash sale. Tell all your friends about the values we are giving. There's quite a lot of spring stuff in stock too; but it all goes. What an opportunity to buy Depend on Underwear and Hosiery, not to speak of R. & G. Corsets, Kid Gloves and Table Linens, Blankets, Comforts, Silks and Dress Goods. You'll be sorry all the year if you don't come

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All Accounts Due.

Your account with us is now due and we solicit a prompt settlement of the same.

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SOCIAL EVENTS.

The Auf Weider Sehen social club met at the home of Mrs. Warrick W. Green, 715 North Main street Thursday afternoon. The club is composed of ten ladies and all were present and the afternoon was very pleasantly spent. Light refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Burch entertained at New Year's dinner at their home in Franklin Wednesday. An elaborate menu was served and the afternoon was very pleasantly spent socially. Among those present were J. W. Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Henderson and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Burch, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dowell, Ora Wright and family and Mrs. Anna Austin and son Carl.

At Smith Home. Mr. and Mrs. West Smith of 837 North Church street, entertained a number of friends at a watch party Tuesday evening. The time was spent with games and music and at 12 o'clock refreshments were served. The out of town guests were Miss Carrie Nunes of Chicago, Miss Marie Frye of Arenzville, and Mrs. A. P. Sheppard of Gary, Ind.

Miss Louella Rothwell entertained the nurses of Passavant hospital at a New Year's party Thursday evening at her home 1207 Park Place. The evening was very pleasantly spent with games and guessing contests and prizes were awarded to Misses Grace Boyer, Ethel Cox and Miss Miller. Light refreshments were served and Miss Kendrick and Reed, of the hospital, acted as chaperones.

Entertain S. S. Class. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harney entertained the members of the Loyal Daughters Sunday school class of Lynnville Christian church, of which Mr. Harney is teacher, at their home in Lynnville New Year's day. The occasion being their twenty-first wedding anniversary. The home was very prettily decorated in red and green for the occasion and the hours from 2 until 5 were very pleasantly spent socially. Pictures of the group were taken by Misses Edna Harney and Edna Scott and the Sunday school members presented Mr. and Mrs. Harney with a meat fork. Miss Sallie McKinney is president of the class, Miss Mabel Todd secretary and

Miss Katherine Wilson the treasurer. During the hours refreshments were served and the members decided to have a box social and spelling match in the near future, and also to hold monthly meetings at the homes of the different members. Among those present were Misses Kate Wilson, May Morris, Sallie McKinney, Beatrice McKinney, Mabel Todd and Mildred Gibbs.

Miss Edna Stout of North Church street entertained Wednesday evening at a 6 o'clock dinner, in honor of her house guest, Miss Laura Jane Young of Springfield. The color scheme of red was artistically carried out in all the appointments, American Beauty roses being used in the decorations. Covers were laid for twelve.

Mrs. C. C. Carter of South Main street was given a happy surprise Thursday evening by members of the Minnetonka council No. 71. Pantomime and music afforded pleasant pastime and during the hours light refreshments were served.

Miss Hildegard Rose, entertained thirty of her friends at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Rose, 609 Jordan street, Thursday evening. The house was very prettily and attractively decorated in the Christmas season colors, also with beautiful white and red carnations. The evening was spent in a happy manner by playing various games. In the "Flower Love Story" contest, first prize was won by Florence Jordan and the consolation prize by Dallas Hagan. One of the favorite places for the young folk was the fortune telling booth which was cleverly decorated. Here Miss Lucille Bolton dressed in Indian costume acted in the capacity of fortune teller, and not only told fortunes by reading the palm, but also presented each guest with a written fortune, which the recipient was required to read before all those present. This afforded no little amusement. Music was also part of the evening's program and during the hours delicious refreshments were served. In every way the party proved a gleeful occasion.

DISCUSS PEACE TERMS.

Constantinople, Jan. 2.—The council of ministers tonight discussed the peace negotiations. At the conclusion of the conference fresh instructions were forwarded to the Turkish delegates at London.

FAVORITE LODG HOLDS FOURTH ANNUAL ROLL CALL

One Hundred Members Compose Gathering Thursday Night—Several Letters Read.

Favorite Lodge No. 376, Knights of Pythias, held its fourth annual roll call Thursday evening with an attendance of 100 members. Capt. J. W. Kettle acted as chairman for the evening and about twenty-five epistles were read from members who were out of town, which included two telegrams from Colorado, two letters from Iowa and one from Indianapolis. During the evening music was furnished by Luther Smith, Dr. C. B. Magill and A. J. Donovan.

After the exercises the members went to the banquet hall where five large tables had been burdened with numerous good things to eat. The tables were decorated with ferns and cut flowers. The roll call committee was composed of L. B. Turner, chairman; Dr. C. B. Magill and John E. Hall and Charles and Fred Ratachak served the banquet.

Basketball, Rount vs. Petersburg, tonight.

M. P. L. OFFICERS INSTALLED.

At the regular meeting of Fidelity Council No. 269, M. P. L., Thursday night the newly elected officers were installed and the good of the order committee served refreshments during the social hour which followed. The installation exercises were in charge of L. S. Ballard and T. L. Parish, who were guests of the lodge for the evening. The lodge is in a very prosperous condition and has 232 members, one being initiated at this meeting. The officers installed were:

President—W. F. Timmerman.
Past president—J. H. Lutkemeyer.
Vice president—S. P. Carter.
Financial secretary—H. H. Zeller.
Treasurer—William Tiff.
Chaplain—Mrs. Francis Zeller.
Usher—Mrs. Lottie Hagood.
Guard—Mrs. Laura Black.
Sentinel—Earl Munis.
Trustees—S. P. Carter, William Garrison and Louis Conner.
Reporter—W. F. Timmerman.

HELD INSTALLATION.

Caritas Rebekah Lodge Inducts Members Into Office.

Caritas Rebekah lodge No. 625 held their annual installation of officers last night as follows:

N. G.—Mrs. Sadie Henderson.
V. G.—Lois Seymour.
V. S. to N. G.—Amelia Warner.
L. S. to N. G.—Effie Bradley.
Warden—Mary Conlee.
Conductor—Fern Cummings.
Inside Guardian—Belle Brockman.
Outside Guardian—Maude Buck.
R. S. V. G.—Mrs. Larson.
L. S. V. G.—Miss Jennie Reinbach.
Chaplain—Belle Hopper.
Entertainment committee—Mrs. Ralph Crabtree, Mrs. Albert Baldwin, Mrs. Joseph Whitaker, Miss Mittie Godfrey, Mrs. William Kitner and Miss Roa Conlee.
Visiting committee—First ward, Nellie Anderson, Laura Manchester; second ward, Mrs. J. A. Obermeyer, Mrs. John McLaughlin; third ward, Mae Singley, Lena Piepenbring; fourth ward, Mrs. J. J. Reeve and Mrs. Albert Ebrey.
Finance committee—Mrs. M. Van Houten, Mrs. Dora Matthews and Verner Wilson.

WITH THE SICK.

Mrs. George L. Hoover of East College street has been very ill for a number of days but is now improving.

Mrs. Ida Whitlock and her daughter Dorothy of Woodson, who were reported quite ill a few days ago are slowly improving.

DR. GUERIN DIES.

Chicago, Jan. 2.—Dr. John Guerin a member of the Chicago board of education died today in Memphis, Tenn. He recently went there for his health. Dr. Guerin was the father of a resolution adopted a few weeks ago by the board providing for a return to the "three R" system for instruction in the elementary grades of the public schools. It was intended to do away with sewing and other forms of so-called "play work" in the institutions.

BOYS DROWN WHILE SKATING. Olivet, Mich., Jan. 2.—While playing hockey on Pine Lake near here today two boys broke through the ice and were drowned.

OFFICERS OF STATE STREET PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH MEET

Twenty-one Gather at Peacock Inn For Supper Thursday Evening and Talk Over Church Matters.

Twenty-one elders, deacons and trustees of State Street Presbyterian church with their pastor, Rev. H. D. French, met at the Peacock Inn Thursday evening at 6:30 o'clock when supper was served and afterward a discussion of church matters was held. At a recent meeting of the trustees of the church it was suggested that this meeting be held.

Several matters relative to the church were talked over and one of the most significant was that of having an annual church supper for the entire membership. This custom was followed until about three years ago and it was the general feeling of the officers that it be revived and that the supper should be held three or four weeks previous to the annual meeting. This matter will be taken up at the next meeting of the Brotherhood and in the meantime the officers will discuss the question with the members of the church to get a definite idea of their view on the matter.

Basketball, Rount vs. Petersburg, tonight.

VETERINARIANS TO MEET.

The annual meeting of the Illinois Veterinarians will be held at the St. Nicholas hotel in Decatur, Wednesday and Thursday January 15th and 16th. A banquet will be served Wednesday evening.

Hillierby's discount sale begins tomorrow.

GAVE EUCHRE PARTY.

The members of the Knights of Columbus gave their regular euchre party Thursday evening with a large attendance and prizes were awarded to Miss Mabel Loneragan and Edward Loneragan. Following the euchre dancing was enjoyed, music being furnished by Miss Rose Loneragan. The committee in charge of the entertainment was composed of John Buckley, chairman; Walter Morken, James Magner, Joseph Sheehan and Charles Gruber.

TAFT ATTENDS WEDDING.

Washington, Jan. 2.—The President and Miss Helen Taft to day attended the wedding at St. Johns Episcopal Church of Miss Frances Hodges, daughter of Col. Harry F. Hodges, corps of engineers, U. S. A. and Mrs. Hodges and Lieut. Albert Hilands Acher, corps of engineers, U. S. A.

DENIES RUMOR.

London, Jan. 2.—The Daily Chronicle, a ministerial organ denies that the government has any intention of dissolving parliament. Thus discrediting a report that had been in circulation for several days.



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